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WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT IS UPHELD BY SUPREME COURT

(By United Press.)

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 16— The Ohio supreme court today handed down a decision upholding the constitutionality of the Workingmen's Compensation Act.

The decision was made in the case of Wallace D. Yaple of Chillicothe, against State Treasurer Creamer. The suit was a friendly mandamus proceeding brought by Yaple as a member of the state liability board of awards to compel Creamer to pay him $4.30 expense money for a trip to Mansfield.

The supreme court granted the mandamus, thereby upholding the constitutionality of the Workingmen's Compensation Act.

The Ohio state liability board of awards, created to administer the compensation to be allowed under this act, did not, on the first of the year, as provided by it, begin to collect the insurance fund out of which the compensation is to come, deferring this until after the decision.

The new workmen's compensation law, or employers' liability law, creates a state insurance fund raised by payments collected by the liability board of awards, from both employers and employes, the former contributing 90 per cent and the latter 10 per cent of the fund. The amount collected is based upon the pay roll or wage, and the hazard of the employment.

Employers who have five or more workmen who are employed regularly are affected by the law. It is optional whether or not employers come under the provisions of the act. If they fail to do so they are not permitted to avail themselves of the common law defenses of "contributory negligence," "assumption of risk," or "the fellow servant rule."

The maximum amount allowed for disability or death as a result of accident is $3,000. In no case shall the minimum amount for death be less than $1,500. In case of temporary or partial disability, the injured workman will receive two-thirds of his wages during his disability, but not more than $12 nor less than $5 a week. These benefits are not to run longer than six years.

In case of death, the dependences will receive benefits in such installments as the liability board may see fit to make. The board will make its awards according to circumstances. These awards are exempt from creditors' claims and from attachment or execution. The rates to be paid by the employers and the workmen will be based upon the total pay roll, the number of employes and the degree of hazard of the occupation.

The members of the board of awards are T. J. Duffy, of East Liverpool, president, representing labor; Morris Woodhull, of Dayton, representing the employers, and Wallace D. Yaple, of Chillicothe. The latter is a lawyer. William C. Archer, of Columbus, is secretary.

HEAD WAS CAUGHT IN MACHINRY

(By Associated Press.)

Steubenville, Ohio, January 16—F. H. Callander, 40, proprietor of a dye works here, was killed some time after midnight by having his head caught in a running machine which he was operating.

Callander's lifeless body was found by an employe this morning.

Japanese City Is Swept By Flames

(By United Press.)

Osaka, Japan, Jan., 16—More than 5,000 residences, temples and pagodas were wiped out and thousands of people were rendered homeless today by a fire which swept through the cheaper quarter of the city.

A regiment of infantry aided the fire department in checking the spread of the flames. Dynamite in large quantities was used to prevent the flames from spreading to the many arsenals nearby. It is known that many lives were lost as the devastation extended over a vast area.

Soldiers Put Down Big Textile Strike

(By United Press.)

Lawrence, Mass., Jan., 16—With eight companies of guardsmen on duty about the big Textile Mills, the city authorities insisted they had the situation in complete control. Only one arrest was made during the morning.

The mill owners declared today that they had broken the strike and that 20,000 of the 30,000 operatives were back at their looms today. The strike leaders dispute this.

STICKS TO STORY OF HIS SISTER'S MURDER

(By Associated Press.)

Circleville, O., Jan. 16— Henry Hagelganz, the farmer who confessed that he paid $1025 to Edward and David McKinley, brothers, to make way with his spinster sister, in order that he might secure her property, spent a restless night in the county jail here, as did the McKinleys.

Hagelganz stuck to his story that he paid the money to the McKinleys after they had told him that they had murdered his sister and her German farm hand. He denied that any arrangement had been made previously or that he had bargained with them to commit the crime.

Both of the McKinleys strenuously deny the whole story and claim that it is a pure fiction.

No trace has been found of the body of the German farm hand who is alleged to have been killed and his body buried in order to cast suspicion upon him of having murdered Miss Hagelganz.

State Does Not Own Cleveland Lands

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—The supreme court in a decision handed down this morning held that the state was not the owner of a valuable strip of land running through the center of the city of Cleveland.

The case was one in which the state tried to recover from the Cleveland Terminal & Valley railroad and the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, a strip of land running through the heart of the city of Cleveland, and which is valued at in the neighborhood of $5,000,000.

In 1872, the legislature gave this land to the city for a public highway. In 1879 the city leased the land to the Valley Railroad Company for a period of 99 years, for $265,000, the lease being renewable forever. In 1895 the property was sold to the two railroads now parties to the suit. The state claims that the city violated the provisions of the bequest by turning the land over to the railroad; that this forfeited its right to the same, and that as a result, the ownership reverted back to the state.

The lower courts had sustained this claim. During the administration of Wade H. Ellis as attorney general, the suit to recover the land for the state was started, in Franklin county. The case was submitted to the supreme court last November.

On Business Trip.

Walter Coburn of Pond Run, is here on business today.

Women To Fight

(By United Press.)

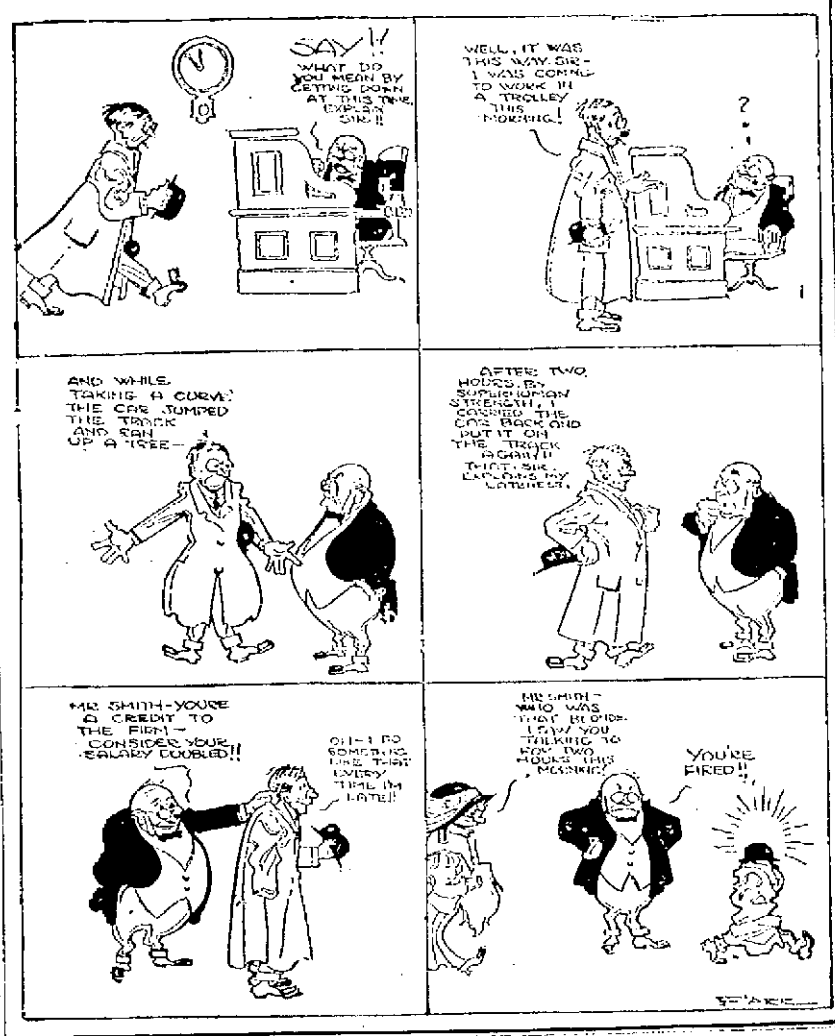
Columbus, Jan., 16—A state-wide meeting of advocates of woman's suffrage is planned for this city on Jan., 31st. National leaders in the movement will be present to make addresses. This meeting is regarded as the beginning of a movement to urge the constitutional convention to incorporate a woman's suffrage clause into the new constitution.

COMMON LAW MARRIAGES ARE VALID

Columbus, O., Jan., 16—(Spl.)—The Supreme Court in the Stark county case of Lee Umbenpower and others against Grace Helen Lebus, declared that common law marriages are valid in Ohio. BLAKE.

MISS TABBIE CATT

SHE'S ALWAYS AROUND



Bomb Thrown At Chinese Premier

(By Associated Press.)

Peking, China, Jan. 16— A bomb was thrown at Premier Yuan Shi Kai as he was in his carriage this morning en route to the Imperial palace to consult with the Emperor. The Premier was not injured.

Two soldiers of his escort were blown to pieces and 17 were injured. Eight of the injured will die. Several horses of the cavalry escort were also killed.

The men who made the attempt upon the life of the Premier thought to escape by mixing in the crowd that gathered but they were closely pursued and captured. The public executioner was sent for and stationed in the street in front of the house in which the would-be assassins were confined until he received orders from the court to behead the men.

There were three men in the group and they are said to have been prominent in the ranks of the revolutionists. They were standing on the sidewalk and as the Premier approached in his carriage they started out into the street. One of the men threw a bomb at the carriage, but it exploded in the air when about 20 feet away. The Premier came out of the wreck unscratched but the shock was a frightful one. Houses for many squares were shaken by the force of the explosion.

Terrorized by the attempt to kill Premier Yuan Shi Kai with a bomb, members of the royal family this afternoon made frantic preparations to leave Peking for their summer homes at Jehol, 115 miles northeast of here. Fear is expressed that a reign of terror will results unless a settlement is made at once with the revolutionists.

CONFLICT COMING

(By Associated Press.)

Vienna, Austria, Jan. 16—The situation in Turkish Montenegro is becoming very serious, according to reports from Saloniki which say that the Montenegro citizens are preparing for a conflict with the Turks and are arming themselves with repeating rifles.

Thomas F. McClure Drops Dead Today

(By Associated Press.)

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 16— Thos. F. McClure, who was president of the Metropolitan Trust Company, which closed its doors some two months ago by order of the state bank examiner, dropped dead today in the federal building. Following the failure of the bank Mr. McClure was indicted by the Hamilton county grand jury charged with receiving deposits when he knew the bank was insolvent.

Mr. McClure was known to many Portsmouth business men. He was in the builders and contractors supply business and through him many millions of Portsmouth paving and building brick were sold in Cincinnati.

CAN'T RAISE PAY OF FIREMEN AND POLICE

Columbus, O., January 16—(Special)—Affirming Judge Fillius' ruling the Ohio Supreme Court holds that the pay of policemen and firemen cannot be raised because they are appointed for life. The ruling affects all civil service employees.

BLAKE.

The case was that of Edward Slatton, a policeman of Painesville. His salary had been $840 a year and was reduced to $720. He sued to prevent the reduction and the supreme court upheld him, deciding the salary could neither be increased nor reduced.

THE VITAL STATISTICS LAW IS KNOCKED OUT

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 16— The supreme court today decided that physicians and midwives do not have to report to the state bureau of vital statistics the births of children. The question was brought up in the case of Dr. J. J. Boone, who was indicted and convicted in Hardin county common pleas court for not filling out a blank submitted by the state bureau asking nearly 50 questions about a child's parentage. The circuit court reversed the case.

Has Taken Position.

Xavier Lordier of Gallia street, has accepted a position with Albert Maier on Gallia street.

A Furnace Explodes, 8 Die

(By Associated Press.)

Duisburg, Germany, Jan. 16 — Eight iron workers were killed by the explosion of a blast furnace in this city and 13 others were injured. A number of victims were imbedded in the molten metal.

President Said To Be For Government Ownership Plans

(By United Press.)

Washington, Jan., 16—Far from being displeased with Postmaster General Hitchcock's government ownership plan for telegraph lines President Taft is himself in favor of such a scheme.

From a source of the highest authority today it was learned that the executive not only believes in the feasibility of the plan, but before the close of his term he will probably recommend its adoption by congress. Moreover it was said that Hitchcock's aim in publishing his views was part of a plan to "feel out" the public on the government ownership plan without committing the chief executive to his opinions. If the public approved the plan then congress would be urged to adopt it.

It was pointed out that in the White House statement issued by Taft yesterday he carefully avoided a denial of his personal approval of the plan. Government ownership of telegraphs has been under advisement by the Post Office Department and White House over a year. It was the principal discussion at today's cabinet meeting.

Postmaster General Hitchcock refused to permit the use of direct quotations but authorized the United Press to make the following statement of his position:

Favors government purchase of all telegraph lines to operate with the postal service cheapening the operation of both with better service to the public. Against government ownership of telephone lines because of local service. Against government ownership of express companies but favoring a general parcels post with some indemnification to express companies for loss of business taken by the government.

The postmaster general declared today that he had discussed the federal telegraph scheme with Taft over a year ago and that the chief executive thoroughly understood his views.

FOR WET SUNDAY.

(By Associated Press.)

Los Angeles, Jan. 16.— Vernon, a suburb of this city, which is believed to be the only city in the United States that is not incorporated, voted for a "wet" Sunday, yesterday. There are three saloons in the town. Over 50 women voted, most of them voting "wet."

FACKLER IS ANGRY AT TEDDY

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan., 16—In an open letter today John D. Fackler, state chairman of the Ohio Progressive League calls upon Col. Theodore Roosevelt to tell the people where he stands on the trust, tariff and money questions.

Fackler's letter to Roosevelt means that he believes Roosevelt is a seeker after the Republican nomination for the presidency. Fackler charged in his letter that in the seven years of his administration the ex-president took no official action regarding the tariff.

Wives, Just Take Notice

Columbus, O., Jan., 16—(Spl.)—The supreme court, in a decision today, held that it is no crime for a wife to steal from her husband.

In Columbus.

Henry T. Bannon went to Columbus Tuesday on legal matters in which the N. & W. is involved.

Judge James Back.

Judge James has returned from a professional visit to Waverly.

TRAIN GOES THROUGH BRIDGE

(By United Press.)

Jackson, Miss., Jan., 16—Alabama and Vicksburg passenger train No. 1 jumped the track and fell through a bridge at Chuny, near here.

The express, mail and baggage cars rolled down the embankment and took fire. The express messenger was burned to death. The train carried several passenger cars, all filled, but so far only one passenger is reported injured. A relief train is on the way to the scene.

Salesman Was Frozen To Death

(By Associated Press.)

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 16—Walter E. King, a traveling salesman, was frozen to death in a vacant lot near his home here last night. His body was found by a policeman today. It is thought that King because numbed with cold on his way home last night and lost his way and wandered into the lot where he was found dead.

EXPLOSIONS PROBED

(By Associated Press.)

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 16—Three explosions in Wisconsin alleged to be part of a widespread dynamite conspiracy were investigated by the federal grand jury here today. Two male relatives of Ortis McManigal will be placed on the stand to tell what they know of the transportation from Chicago to parts in Wisconsin of dynamite which resulted in damage to a bridge and unloading steamer near the docks.

ST. LOUIS HAS A BAD BLAZE

(By Associated Press.)

St. Louis, Jan., 16—Fire which gained a great headway because all hydrants were frozen caused more than $100,000 damage today. A warehouse, vehicle plant, furniture store and pickle plant were damaged by the blaze.



Yes I'm about ready to admit it, this weather is hangin' on most too long. I got a good dose of it last night when I went down to th' Masonic Club to see Joe and Mark play billiards. I like to froze—goin' to and from I mean—and I want to announce right here that I am about ready to quit. Guess Tom's pigs' tails must be "froze" off I ain't heard 'em wiggle lately. Here's th' dope:

Ohio—Fair tonight and probably Wednesday; rising temperature.

Kentucky—Generally fair with rising temperature tonight and Wednesday.

Marietta Is Wet By 20

(By United Press.)

Marietta, O., Jan., 16—The official count of the vote cast in the local option election in Washington county, last Saturday was completed today, and the Wets won by a majority of 20 votes.

Dry leaders announced they would not contest the election.

Saloons will open Thursday.

RULING ON CITY EMPLOYES

(By United Press.)

Columbus, Ohio, Jan., 16—The supreme court today decided that no city official affected by civil service shall be subject to salary reduction during the middle of a term. The decision was handed down in a case brought up from Circleville.

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THE RIGHT NOTE.

Ohio has heard considerable discussion of late on the failure of the public schools to produce that service for which they were founded and are maintained.

Various reasons are advanced for this failure, some claiming incompetence of teachers and others neglect of directors, while still others advance the general theory of the educational course.

There is one man, who seems to have hit the right note and he is Dr. N. C. Shaeffer, school superintendent of Pennsylvania. According to his idea the gravest fault lies with the pupil and the parents of the pupil as the final cause. He notes that the children of foreign parentage show no failure of the schools to properly acquit their design, while the children of native born do. He has inquired closely into this variance and apparent contradiction and finds it lies in our American social system. The so called real American children cut loose from the apron string at too tender an age and begin to do society at too early an age. The foreign children remain more under the dominion of their parents and they are not taken into society. Thus they have not the distractions of the others, their minds are kept intently on their lessons and they acquire the education for which taxes are paid. The others do not, logically, because at home their lessons are not made their first requirement and acquirement.

Bowling League Is Formed In the Club

At a well attended meeting of the members of "The Club" held Monday evening, steps were completed for the formation of a bowling league, which will be headed by Frank Sodaro as president and which will be composed of six clubs. A schedule was adopted which will be published later.

Other officers elected were Vice president, Cornell Creekbaum; secretary and treasurer, Reuben Horchow. The captains of the teams, together with the officers, will form the executive committee. The teams and captains follow:

Olympics, Reuben Horchow.
Invincibles, Kenyon Johnson.
Infants, George Pierce.
Clippers, Carmel Johnson.
Lyrics, Cornell Creekbaum.
Dutch Five, John Newman.

The league season will open on next Monday evening, when the Olympics meet the Clippers.

John Johnson of High street, who is suffering with a severe attack of colic, was removed to the Hempstead hospital by Lynn's ambulance Tuesday.

Girls Have Fine Ride

The Washington hotel dining room girls treated themselves to a sleigh ride over town Tuesday afternoon. The young women engaged a half dozen sleighs from the Star livery stable.

W. C. T. U. To Have Big Time

The annual inspection of River City Council, United Commercial Travelers, will be held Saturday afternoon and will be followed with a banquet in the evening.

Some of the Grand council officers will be here to conduct the inspection and an elaborate program is being prepared by a committee composed of Messrs. J. D. Bridges, W. C. Ferguson and Ed J. Gims.

Commission To Organize

The civil service commission will meet tonight for the purpose of organizing for the year. The commission will probably arrange for a meeting Friday night for the purpose of hearing the cases of suspended firemen.

TROUBLE IS RENEWED

The Cooper and Griffin feud in South Portsmouth had another chapter in its history Monday night when Mrs. Warren Griffin called Mr. Cooper a vile name as he was passing her residence. The trouble started by Mrs. Griffin saying that the Coopers were using too much coal.

The end of the feud is in sight it is believed as the Griffins packed their household goods today and moved to Fullerton, Ky.

Breece Co. Has Elected

The Breece Manufacturing company Monday night elected the following directors: John T. Breece, E. G. Nave, J. M. Williams, O. C. Breece, Samuel Reed, W. B. Anderson and J. M. Graham. An organization will be effected in a few days.

To Attend Meeting

H. S. Grimes expects to leave this evening for Indianapolis to attend the annual meeting of the National Grain Dealers' Insurance company of which he is a director.

ROY HAS A BEARD

Roy Brady, who has been suffering from a severe attack of typhoid fever at his home in New Boston for several weeks, is improving, although he is still unable to leave his bed. Since taken sick, "Mick" has not been shaved, and has raised a beard several inches long. His whiskers are as read as the tail of a fox and not even his closest friends could recognize him.

Perry Hildebridle, employed at C. C. Coverston's meat market in the East End, is laid up at his home in New Boston, suffering with a severe cold. Perry, does not particularly care, for it will give him plenty of time to nurse that little Miss that came to his home a few days ago.

Fulton Estate

The inventory and appraisement in the personal effects of the late Dr. C. C. Fulton, filed Tuesday, showed them to be worth $660.15. Of this amount $600 will go to his widow as a year's allowance.

Near-Tragedy Results In the Arrest Of Two

The West End was the scene of a near-tragedy which indirectly grew out of a "kidding" match at the St. John hotel late Monday night, and resulted in the arrest of the well known proprietor, John Richter and Bert Moore, a B. & O. S.-W. brakeman.

Moore was charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct and Richter with pointing firearms, a revolver having been found in his possession when arrested. Both were immediately released on security for their appearance in court Wednesday morning.

It seems that Mr. Richter and some old friends including Fred Leppin, had had a friendly game of cards when about 9 p. m. Moore entered the bar room, having just arrived from Hamden.

Leppin treated the crowd, including the new arrival. The former was joshing everybody good naturedly when Moore took exceptions to some remark of the aged man.

Words were exchanged but the little difficulty was soon patched up. Later in a spirit of fun but not so regarded by Leppin the muscular young man tripped Fred. He at once resented this and left, seating himself in an adjoining room. Moore coaxed him to come back and be friends again but Leppin declined. Suddenly Moore startled everybody present by striking Leppin a fist blow in the face that sent the old man sprawling to the floor. Richter hurried from behind the counter to eject his friend's assailant only to receive a staggering blow himself.

Both men now sailed into the railroader and succeeded in crowding him to the door and forcing him to the sidewalk. Once outside Moore discovered two cases of empty beer bottles near the alley entrance and one by one threw these into the saloon. One just grazed Richter and struck a liquor case. The hotel man hurried down into the cellar and thence to his living apartments after his gun. By this time Moore had smashed the alley transom. Seeing Richter was armed he disappeared up the alley. Richter determined to learn the fellow's identity, started out with gun in hand to guard himself against further attack. He saw a light at the Frederick saloon at Fifth and Market streets and thinking he might find out something there hurried in that direction.

He had just summoned a man outside when Moore himself emerged from the place and before Richter realized what was happening had seized him. The two clinched and in the struggle Richter managed to get his gun in the other's face but the bystander firmly held his hand and prevented him from using the weapon. The struggle continued desperately and finally all landed in a heap when Officer George Harding came rushing up and put an end to the battle.

Mr. Richter says he could not stand back and see one of his friends and patrons used in the manner as was Mr. Leppin, who is 75 years of age.

Editor Perry Gets His Way

Chillicothe, O., Jan. 16.—Attorneys in the cases in which G. W. C. Perry, postmaster and editor of the Gazette, is interested, informed Common Pleas Judge Goldsberry that Mr. Perry refused to have the court sit in any of his cases. Prejudice is alleged, owing to a recent editorial in the paper.

Judge Goldsberry agreed that another judge should hear the cases.

HOLD CONFERENCE ABOUT BIG BLOCK

At 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon a meeting was in progress in the office of George E. Kricker which in all likelihood will result in the erection of a modern three or four story business block on the site of the old Sixth street church at Sixth and Chillicothe streets.

Present at the conference were owners of the property, George E. Kricker, Irving Drew and Philo S. Clark and Archie Goodman, who represents the Style Shop, ing. which is to have the ground room floor, providing the negotiations are closed. Mr. Richards, of the architectural firm of Richards, Bulford and McCarthy, of Columbus, is also at the meeting. It is understood that he has roughly sketched a three story building that will meet with the approval of the property owners. They are to put up the modern structure and Mr. Goodman is to take a long termed lease on the building.

STREET RAILWAY PAYS CITY TAX

The street railway company on Tuesday paid over to the city its excise tax for the year 1911, amounting to $1,079.78.

The amount represented 1 per cent of three-fourths of the company's gross earnings, which are given as $143,970.49. The gross earnings the year before were $134,445.54 and in 1909 they amounted to $107,668.49.

Infant Dies.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Smith, of 1215 North Waller street, died Monday night and the burial took place in Greenlawn, Tuesday.

Had Attack Of Pleurisy

Tom Calvert, the jovial Summit Lawn dairyman, was taken ill with an attack of pleurisy while making his rounds in the city Tuesday and was taken home by Mr. Martin in the latter's automobile.

Coaster Injured

While coasting on his sled on East Eighth street, Monday afternoon, Roy Dyer, son of an N. & W. car inspector, took a header, striking against a rock. His head was cut open, and it was necessary to call Dr. Frank H. Williams, who took several stitches to close the wound.

Can't Find The House

Sam Langdon, the mill roller, who has just moved his family back from Indiana Harbor, is casting about for a suitable home in the Hill Top district. For the present he and family and his sisters-in-law, Misses Dorothy and Eleanora Schwartz are rooming at Sixth and Union streets.

New Theatre Is A Success

Large crowds are attending the picture show operated by Smittle and Wolfe in the Brady block, corner of Clay street and Grandview avenue. The pictures shown are on a par with most picture houses, and the East End people are finding considerable enjoyment in spending their evenings before the big white screen.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

A marriage license was issued this afternoon to Washington Means, 24, Franklin Furnace, teacher, and Miss Clara Rose, 19, of Pawtuckville, Rev. Pfleger will perform the ceremony.

Closed By The Cold

G. H. Heinisch returned home Monday night from a business trip to Cincinnati, Dayton and Columbus. His brick plant in the East End is closed down indefinitely on account of the severe cold weather.

Visited Terminals.

General Superintendent George P. Johnson of the N. & W., paid a visit to the local N. & W. Terminals Tuesday.

Suit Over Contract

The case of the Portsmouth Supply and Manufacturing Co. vs. Jacobs and Cullom, was heard before Squire Byron, Tuesday morning. After all the evidence was in the court announced that its decision would be rendered on Saturday. The plaintiff sues for $40.00, alleged to be due on a contract for material. Attorney as. S. Thomas represented the plaintiff, while Attorney Oscar W. Newman looked after the interest of the defendants.

Coroner's Verdict

Dr. Hoke, who was called Tuesday to investigate the death of a one-day-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Smith, 1512 Waller street, found that death was due to premature birth.

Fractured His Hip

J. K. Colley, popular N. & W. engineer, is laid up at his home on East Eighth street, due to an accident.

Mr. Colley was leaning over a buggy wheel, attempting to lift a bale of straw, when he felt something give in his side. The pain was quite severe and when the injured man consulted a physician, he learned that one of his ribs had been fractured.

OBITUARY

Vetter

Conrad Vetter, aged 95, one of the pioneer German residents of Chillicothe, died at his home in that city Sunday. He is survived by one son and one daughter. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning from St. Peter's Catholic church.

Marcum

Ex-Judge William Marcum, aged 67, died suddenly Monday at his home at Ceredo, W. Va. He was one of the most eminent lawyers in the state of West Virginia and at the time of his death was an active member of the legislature. He is survived by a wife and nine children.

Little One Dies.

The 11-weeks-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bayerl of Kinney street, died early on Tuesday morning after a short illness. The funeral services will be conducted Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Laid To Rest.

The remains of Noble E. Bennet, the unfortunate N. & W. fireman who was killed on a culvert beyond the Scioto bridge last Thursday, were taken to Marysville, O., Saturday morning for burial. Those to accompany the remains were: Engineers Charley Kaut, Floyd Kemp, J. C. Stewart and Firemen Bert Stratton, Hop Dyer, H. T. Everett and Cooper and Mr. Kinsey of the Y. M. C. A.; Mrs. N. E. Bennett, the widow, Mrs. J. C. Stewart, Mrs. John Schwab and Deaconess Adams of the Y. M. C. A., the order of B. of L. F. & E. of which the young man was a member and also the Knights of Pythias had charge of the funeral.

OPENED SEWER

After working uninterruptedly for two solid days, the city service department forces Tuesday succeeded in opening up the Masonic Temple sanitary sewer. It was found the sewer was clogged up with rubbish about midway between Third and Fourth streets.

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IS TAKING ODD JOBS

Claude West who until recently was city electrician is now taking odd repair jobs about town but may later engage in business on an extensive scale.

WANTED:—Experienced cook. Mrs. D. E. Holbrook, 126 East Fourth. 16d1

Fined For Selling To Boy Under Age

John Wolf, who conducts a saloon at Eighth and Campbell avenue, was found guilty of selling to a minor and fined $25 and costs by Mayor Tynes Tuesday afternoon.

Wolf was only indirectly guilty of the offense it developing that a bartender had sold a quart of whiskey to Earl Powers, aged 18, but who looks older. The conviction grew out of the arrest on Saturday night of Will Donley, an East End youth, found helplessly drunk on the streets. It seems Donley, Elmer Shack and Jim Thacker and Powers had raised $1.10 between them and Powers was delegated to buy the liquor. Donley and Powers were each fined $4.80 while the others were dismissed having merely been detained as witnesses.

JR. O. U. A. M. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

The following officers of the Past Councillors, Jr. O. U. A. M., were elected and installed at a meeting held in their quarters, corner of Ninth and Findlay streets, Sunday evening:

O. Hopkins, President.
E. J. Helt, Vice-President.
William Hart, Secretary.
Clarence Warneke, Treasurer.
C. L. Quickel, Conductor.
Henry Ryan, Sentinel.
W. D. Boyles, Past President.
Trustees—Six Months, E. Arthurs; 12 months, C. A. Kerr; 18 months, W. D. Boyles.

The order will hold an important meeting next Thursday evening. At the meeting Sunday, one candidate was initiated and one application for membership favorably acted upon.

Wants Roosevelt To Give Attitude

HAS BOUGHT A HOTEL

A deal was practically closed late Tuesday afternoon whereby E. A. Hodge sold the building occupied by the Hotel Portsmouth on West Front street to Louis Kern, proprietor of the Imperial store.

Guardian Resigns

Joseph T. Mickelthwait late on Tuesday afternoon tendered his resignation as guardian of the person and estate of Thomas Zaph. This ends the litigation in the courts which have been extended over a year, over the removal of Mr. Mickelthwait. Mrs. Lollie Zaph, wife of Thomas Zaph, will probably be appointed guardian.

Will Ask Sunday To Columbus

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—Columbus Methodists and Presbyterian ministers will go to Canton Jan. 30 and formally invite Billy Sunday, the evangelist, to speak here. It is thought that Rev. Mr. Sunday will accept, although he may have to set a date in 1913.

Cincinnati Visitor.

Herman Blatt, a Cincinnati cigar manufacturer, well known here, was a visitor in Portsmouth Monday for the first time in three years.

Will Erect Casks.

Peter and Louis Wagner, expert coopers, arrived here from Cincinnati Monday to erect some more big casks at the Portsmouth brewery.

Marion, O., Jan. 16—Warren G. Harding, in aid of whose campaign for governor Colonel Roosevelt made a day's tour of Ohio, in an editorial in his paper, the Marion Star, Friday, demanded that the Colonel state his attitude toward the presidential nomination.

"Colonel Roosevelt," says Mr. Harding, "seems to be extremely irritable these days and apparently resents bitterly the publication of statements regarding his future plans. But, after all, this is in large measure his own fault. He can end the matter by a frank, unequivocal declaration of his position. Some months ago he declared that he was not and would not be a candidate for the presidency, and that he would regard his nomination as a calamity. This declaration was generally accepted as definite and final, and there would have been no renewal of the talk of the Colonel in this connection had it not been for his own renewed political activity and the operations of many of his closest friends, who began, and still continue unabated, to maneuver to bring the calamity upon him."

Saying that his more recent determination "not to be smoked out on this proposition" is an unfortunate attitude, the editor continues:

"If Colonel Roosevelt desires to gratify an unsated appetite for office and power, if he feels that only his own hand upon the tiller will keep the ship of state off the rocks, if he believes that it is his duty to wrest power from the hands to which he confided it, let him make the announcement that he seeks the nomination or is willing to accept it.

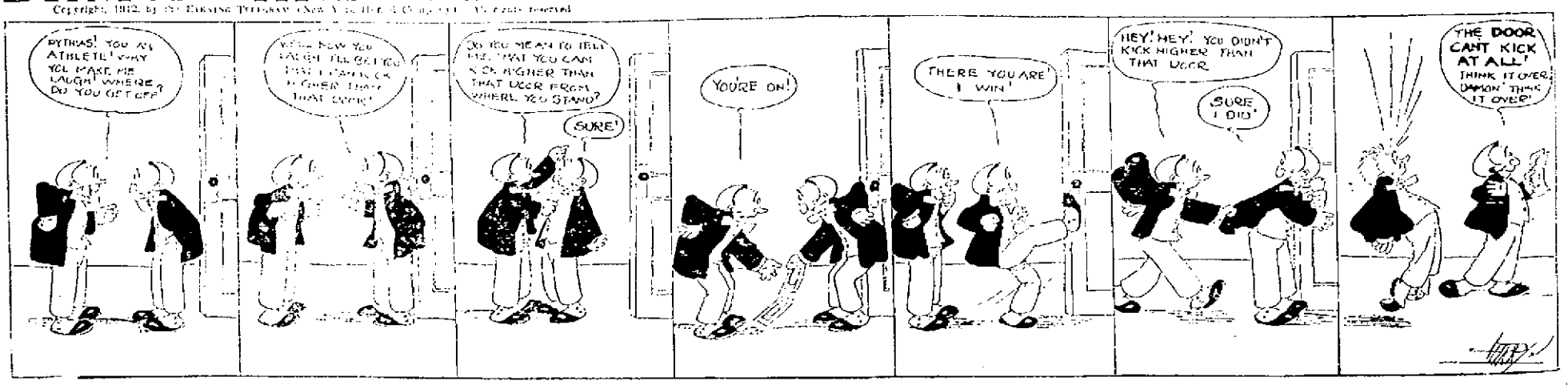
"And if Mr. Roosevelt holds that his influence should be thrown against the man for whose election to the presidency he is most largely responsible, let him state that fact and the reasons therefor."

Victim In Bad Shape

Late Tuesday afternoon Tom Reed, victim of Monday night's accident at the N. & W. roundhouse, was still in very bad shape. He failed to recognize his wife and his sister when they visited his bedside.

DAMON AND PYTHIAS

ONE TAKES AN UNFAIR ADVANTAGE OF THE OTHER, BUT THEN YOU CANNOT WIN ALL THE TIME



Deal On For Land For New Dam Site

Greenup, Ky., Jan. 16.—Officials of the U. S. government were here last week in conference with F. M. Warnock in regards to purchasing some land from his farm below the T. N. Biggs estate about three miles below Greenup.

The government will, probably next summer, begin the erection of a dam across the Ohio at that point, and will have to utilize a big portion of Mr. Warnock's farm in the erection of same.

He expects to receive quite a sum of money for what part of the farm the government will purchase.

MR. TOMMY BURT IS REAL FORTUNATE HE BOASTS OF THREE LANDLORDS

A fact not generally known is that Tommy Burt, local agent for the Gray motor engine, has three landlords.

The small frame structure that Tom occupies down on West Second street is jointly owned by Joseph Soduro, Sr., an Italian fruit dealer, and Zottman Bros., well known laundrymen. The former owns several feet of the lower or west part of the building, while the other, or wider part of the room belongs to the other parties, though all under one and the same roof. Despite this unusual situation, there has never been the slightest difference between the joint owners regarding the property, and at the end of each month Tommy writes out a check for each of his landlords. He uses the room as headquarters for his engine agency and as a loafing place for himself and friends, who gather nightly and pleasantly while away the hours swapping stories.

No Matches; Couple Are Almost Frozen

Harley Leightley, the Market street barber, spent Sunday at Otway with his wife and daughter, Pauline, who are the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Leightley, returning home on Monday morning.

Mr. Leightley says that Alonzo King and wife of Otway came near freezing to death last Saturday morning. The family burn wood in their residence and in the night the fire went out. Mr. King got up to start the fire about 3 a. m. and found that there was not a match in the house. He and wife walked the floor until daylight and then went to the home of their daughter, Mrs. Oscar Elmore who lived about one-half mile away. The thermometer at Otway was 34 degrees below last Saturday.

PATTERSON PLANS AN ADDITION TO HIS GARAGE

Walter K. Patterson will let the contract in a few weeks for an extension to his present garage on Gallia street. The work will not be begun before spring, but before summer begins Mr. Patterson expects to have one of the most complete garages in the state.

The new addition will be two stories high and will be built of concrete and brick, giving him a floor space of 160 by 65 feet. The second story will be used as a paint and varnish factory, which will also contain a vulcanizing outfit.

Harry Ray's New Job.

Harry Ray has entered the employ of Walter Phillips, the North Sixth street sign painter. Harry is a younger brother of ballplayer Frank Ray, and said to be an artist of considerable ability.

Goods Arrive.

The household goods of Sam Ferguson, one of the new jobbing roll rollers at the steel plant, arrived here from Indiana Harbor, Monday.

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Car Took Tumble

Jumping the rails on the high coal tipple at Prichard, W. Va., a loaded car of coal went crashing down a 40-foot embankment Monday night. No one was near the car, which was wrecked. The train was in charge of Engineer J. P. Riggs, of this city.

Recovers From Grippe.

H. D. Lockwood, father of Manager Lockwood, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, was able to be about again Monday after a two weeks' siege of grippe.

Taken Ill At Hotel

Charles Faulkner, well known traveling salesman for a Dayton, Ohio, extract company, was taken violently ill with an attack of acute indigestion at the Washington hotel Monday. He was stricken while conversing with friends in the hotel lobby. He was hurriedly assisted to his room and the house physician summoned to attend him. Mr. Faulkner was reported up and about Tuesday morning.

Why Cyrus, What's The Trouble Now?

Cy Kelley, who for a number of years has been employed as "trouble man" at the street railway company's West End barn, quit his position Saturday night.

Charles Durham, Lovington, Ill., has succeeded in finding a positive cure for bed wetting. "My little boy wet the bed every night clear through on the floor. I tried several kinds of kidney medicine and I was in the drug store looking for something different to help him when I heard of Foley Kidney Pills. After he had taken them two days we could see a change, and when he had taken two-thirds of a bottle he was cured. That is about six weeks ago and he has not wet in bed since." Fisher & Streich, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Gordon and Reinhart, the boys with the educated feet, Alhambra Minstrels, Jan. 25th.

MASHED FINGER

Ray Shirey, an employe of the Portsmouth Steel Company, severely mashed the middle finger on his right hand Monday night. Dr. Schirmann says amputation will probably not be necessary.

Hip Broken By Tumble

Manuel Oakes, B. & O. night round house foreman, slipped and fell from the running board of an engine on Saturday night at about 10:30 o'clock and fractured his right hip, says the Chillicothe News.

Oakes was inspecting an engine in the round house and fell from its running board, a distance of 8 feet, to the pavement below.

PLUMBING.

Earl B. Lawson. Home phone A 602. 10-6

A Miner Member Of The Ohio Con-Con

Columbus, Jan. 16—Percy Tetlow, delegate from Columbiana county, has the distinction of being the only miner member of the 400 some 50,000 miners in Ohio, and if any question affecting their calling is brought before the convention, Mr. Tetlow, no doubt, will have more to do with its solution than any other delegate.

Mr. Tetlow's long and practical experience as a working miner, and his study of mining conditions has qualified him as an expert on the subject of mining. He began to work in the mines when a lad of twelve, and served a full apprenticeship in all the classes of work of that industry. When he was a lad there were no child labor laws in effect, and he put in from ten to twelve hours daily digging coal from the bowels of the earth.

In recognition of his knowledge of mining conditions, and in pursuance of the wishes of the working miners, Governor Andrew S. Harris appointed Mr. Tetlow a member of the commission of seven to draft a code of mining and mine laborers. The miners were represented by three of their number, and operators by a like number, and the seventh member was Chief Mine Inspector George Harrison.

The commission spent two years in the formulation of a mining code, which was adopted without revision by the general assembly. The practical benefits derived from the operation of this code of laws has already been amply shown. Reports received by the state mine inspector during the past year show a material reduction in the number of accidents, fatal and otherwise. Severe penalties are provided for the failure on the part of employes and employers to regard its requirements.

Mr. Tetlow stands high in the councils of the state and the International Mine Workers' organizations. He always attends and takes part in the discussions of these bodies. When John P. White, of Iowa, International president of the miners, made his appointments, he commissioned Mr. Tetlow national organizer, and as such he is authorized to act in promoting the interests of the organization in both the United States and Canada.

Mr. Tetlow has been prominent in mining circles for more than ten years. In 1900 he was made president of District No. 45, comprising Columbiana, Mahoning and Jefferson counties, Ohio, and Hancock county, West Virginia, and having a membership of about 5,000. He had opposition for the place the first time he ran, but so efficiently and satisfactorily did he preside over the affairs of the district that he was re-elected eight times, serving until his appointment on the mining commission, when he resigned.

Governor Harmon sent Mr. Tetlow with Chief Mine Inspector Harrison and others to investigate the causes of the disastrous mine accident at Cherry, Ill., in November, 1909, and to obtain such information that might be useful in preventing similar catastrophes in Ohio. Mr. Tetlow has investigated all mining accidents of a serious nature which have occurred in his district. He has been in a couple of severe mine explosions himself, and was once brought out of a mine in a precarious condition.

Mr. Tetlow was born in Washingtonville, Columbiana county, where he has always resided, 38 years ago. He is a veteran of the Spanish war, and participated in the Porto Rican campaign as a soldier in Company B, 10th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry. He is married and has a family of three children: Harry, aged 10; Percy, aged 7; and Jessie, aged 5.

He was elected delegate by a heavy majority, getting 2,000 votes more than the two candidates who opposed him. He received 4,000 more votes than were given his nearest competitor.

Mr. Tetlow was the first delegate to declare for Herbert S. Bigelow, for president, and his county was the first to come out for the Cincinnati divine for that office. Mr. Tetlow is a member of the committee of five on patronage. He is one of the influential members of the convention. BLAKE.

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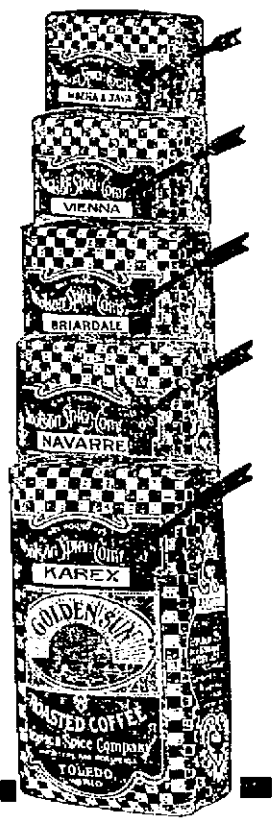
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OFFICERS CHOSEN BY LABOR COUNCIL

The contest for offices in Central Labor Council, at the annual election held Monday night, resulted in an overwhelming victory for the East End contingent.

All of the important offices were captured by the so-called terminals crowd, while the downtown applicants were completely routed, coming out of the wreck with but three positions in the whole official family of the trades assembly.

Spirited as was the battle of ballots, it was waged good naturedly and with the best of feeling prevailed. The terminals crowd had simply marshalled their forces and turned out en masse, while apathy seemed to prevail in the ranks of the down town delegates.

Among the defeated candidates was Joe Diener, the popular recording secretary, who for a number of years has efficiently served the council in that capacity, and County Clerk Roy McElhaney, who was a candidate for trustee.

N. L. Russell, well known sheet metal worker, was re-elected president of the council; Ernest Long, a painter, was elected vice president; David Bertram, of the machinists' union, financial secretary; F. D. Landemann, a machinist, recording secretary; Vernon Barrett, a blacksmith, treasurer; William L. Baker, sheet metal worker; Andrew McCorkle, car repairer, and G. David Bauer, of the street car men's union, were chosen trustees. Peter Callahan, a machinist, was elected guard, and W. L. Baker, guide.

The new officers will be installed the first meeting in February.

The council endorsed the movement of the local painters looking to the safety of men who work from corniers of buildings and the safety of the public against debris thrown from buildings under course of construction. The painters have determined to appear before city council and ask that body to draft and pass an ordinance providing for the inspection of all scaffolds, ropes, etc., used by workmen on buildings. It will provide for the creation of a new office or the employment of an inspector to see to it that all contractors equip themselves with new ropes, scaffolds and the like. Painters all over the country are advocating the plan as a safeguard against accidents, which have become numerous the past few years. All other affiliated locals in Portsmouth will be asked to endorse the plan.

ANNOUNCEMENT

To the voters of Scioto county: I am a Republican candidate for the office of commissioner and solicit your support at the primaries hereafter to be called. If nominated and elected I pledge myself to serve faithfully in the interest of all the people of the county, as well as those of the West Side.

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BOOST JUDGE JONES FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE

There seems to be a concerted movement throughout the Fourth Judicial Circuit to boost Judge Thomas A. Jones, of Jackson, for a third term on the bench. Judge Jones must come up for re-election this fall. Under the new law, Circuit judges are elected, it is understood upon separate non-partisan ballots, with no party emblem to designate their politics. They are nominated by petition, not by convention.

Several counties have already endorsed Judge Jones through their bar associations, and it is understood that a similar movement is on foot here, it being planned to have the local bar give endorsement.

The Washington county bar unanimously backed the Jackson county man in the following resolutions:

"The following resolution was adopted by the bar of Washington county, Ohio, unanimously, at a meeting of the bar, held January 6th, 1912:

"Whereas, The Bar of Washington county, Ohio, irrespective of political affiliation, recognize the exceptional ability of Thomas A. Jones, presiding judge of the circuit court for the Fourth Judicial Circuit of Ohio; and

"Whereas, His term of office expires in the near future and his successor will be chosen at the coming general election in November, 1912, and,

"Whereas, We believe that no person in this district could be chosen who would be better qualified than Judge Jones, on account of his experience on the bench, as well as for his judicial ability.

"Therefore: Resolved by the Bar Association of Washington county, Ohio, that the candidacy of Thomas A. Jones to succeed himself as judge of the said Circuit court, he, and the same is hereby heartily approved and endorsed.

WINFIELD S. HANCOCK, Secy.

Besides these resolutions, it is understood that Athens county has also followed suit. Up in Chillicothe, the Daily Gazette, the Republican organ, has endorsed Judge Jones, in the following editorial, which appeared Monday:

"Judge Thomas A. Jones, of Jackson, has announced that he will be a candidate for a third term as Circuit judge. There has sprung up opposition to a third term. If capable and conscientious service have nothing to do with selecting candidates for the Circuit bench, but it is simply a political pie plate to be passed to each in turn, then the constitutional convention had better abolish the Circuit court and save the taxpayers a lot of money. The longer a good judge stays on the bench the better he becomes. It is good policy to keep him where his knowledge and experience will be of service to the people. Judge Jones has been an able and honest member of the Circuit court. He should be kept where he is."

Whether or not there will be any other Republican aspirants for the nomination is not known. In case of more it might be that there would be a convention to see which one of the candidates should go on the ballot, or they might all go on, if they got sufficient signers to their petitions, as a convention would not be binding.

So far as The Times can learn, there are no judgeship candidates from Scioto county, although a candidacy was hinted at some time ago.

Was At Hamden.

Lew Distel, clerk at the Globe clothing store, spent Sunday and Monday with his family, who are visiting among relatives at Hamden, Ohio.

Engineer Shoemaker Defends New Crew

Editor Portsmouth Times:—I notice in Monday's issue of the Daily Times where the new water works crew had appealed to one of the former water works engineers and Mr. James McGuire, one of the former well men for their assistance.

Now on behalf of the new water works crew, I wish to say I have not appealed to any one for assistance, neither do I expect to, as my present crew is capable of doing any and all work which may come before them. Furthermore, we are not up against it, as some would have you think. The troubles which we have had would have occurred just the same with the old crew. I will admit some of my would-be friends, whom I had befriended in many different ways, would be highly elated if I should fail, but as I came in here four years ago and successfully operated, and practically rebuilt the plant with an entirely new crew at that time, I think I can continue to operate the water works with my present crew, as I consider them just as efficient, with a little practice, as their predecessors.

Yours truly,
D. Shoemaker,
Chief Engineer City Waterworks.

NEW CAUSE FOR "RAILING"

The management of the Keystone Press printing office resent the idea that the railing erected in their office is intended to fence out the "dear people." They say it was put up during the wet and dry campaign, when they did much work for both factions, the idea being to keep the different effusions from becoming mixed up.

Hope He's A "Bum" One

A NEW WEATHER PROPHET

Squire W. P. McGlone, well known lodge promoter and nurseryman, is some pumpkins of a weather prognosticator. The Squire believes we are in for a long period of continued cold weather. He says that when the buds of timber fail to swell it is a sure indication that cold weather will prevail for some time. When tree limbs begin to shrink the buds will open, and after receiving sunshine or rain will close again and the limbs will at once begin to grow again and spring will soon be at hand.

MOTHER IN BAD SHAPE

Fred Kemmerer, composing room foreman of the Portsmouth Correspondent, has returned from the bedside of his aged mother, who was frightfully scalded at her home in Chillicothe a few days ago. He reports her doing as well as could be expected, though serious results are feared, because of her advanced age, she being in her 75th year.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND "CURES IN EVERY CASE."

Mr. Jos. McCaffery, Mgr. of the Schlitz Hotel, Omaha, Neb., recommends Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, because it cures in every case. "I have used it myself and I have recommended it to many others who have since told me of its great curative power in disease of the throat and lungs." Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is a reliable family medicine. Give it to your children, and take it yourself when you feel a cold coming on. It checks and cures coughs, colds and croup and prevents bronchitis and pneumonia. Refuse substitutes. Fisher & Streich, Portsmouth, O.

Resting Well.

J. K. Colley, who fractured a rib Monday while making some repairs to a buggy, was resting easily Tuesday. He slipped and fell against a wheel. Mr. Colley is a well known N. & W. engineer.

B'G DEMAND FOR COAL

Coal dealers are overrushed with orders as a result of the continued cold weather, but have an ample supply on hands, though fearful of a famine should the city's gas supply happen to become exhausted.

John F. Flannigan, the North Market street dealer, alone delivered seventy-five loads of coal on Monday, and indications were that the record would be equalled on Tuesday.

May Buy A New Truck

The new administration officials are reported considering plans for a new auto ladder truck to replace the present old ladder wagon at the Seventh street engine house. The old wagon in that event will be stationed at the hilltop engine house, which was built purposely large to accommodate an apparatus of that sort.

Caught Them All Napping

The sleighing is remarkably fine, but the number of sleighs out is small. Sleighing is such an uncertain proposition in Portsmouth that the breed of sleighs has been permitted to deteriorate.

MR. SWIFT IS BETTER

William Swift, of Powellsville, who was kicked by a horse which he was shoeing last Friday afternoon, at his shop at Wheelersburg, is much improved. Mr. Swift was kicked over the heart by the horse.

Mr. Hafner A Candidate

Edward A. Hafner, former state senator, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for prosecuting attorney of Hamilton county. Hafner announced his candidacy in Cincinnati, Saturday.

ANKLE WAS SPRAINED

Nellie, the ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bazby, of Wait's Station, sustained a badly sprained left ankle a few days ago while coasting with a party of friends. The little girl's foot was caught in the runners as the sled was going down the hill.



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No. 4, Daily (fast) 12:11 a. m.
No. 34 Sunday only ..9:28 p. m.

Columbus District—Westbound.

No. 3, Daily, fast train 3:47 a. m.
No. 33 Daily ..... 7:25 a. m.
No. 15, Daily ..... 3:35 p. m.

Cincinnati District.

No. 23, Daily (fast). 4:00 a. m.
No. 35, Daily ex Sun. 7:30 a. m.
No. 37, Daily ..... 2:20 p. m.
No. 25, Daily fast train 3:40 p. m.

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Lv. 6:50 a. m. ar. P. 10:25 a. m. *
Lv. 8:45 a. m. ar. P. 11:20 a. m. *
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No. 3 daily, fast train 1:54 p. m.
No. 7, daily, local 2:14 p. m.
No. 5 daily, fast train, 5:29 a. m.
No. 17 week days, local 7:25 a. m.

East Bound

No. 2 daily, fast train 2:44 p. m.
No. 4 daily, fast train 11:43 p. m.
No. 6 daily, local 11:31 a. m.
No. 8 daily, fast train 12:37 a. m.
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Local Schedule, Feb. 16, 1911.

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No. 50, 7:00 a. m.	9:20 a. m.
No. 52, 2:00 p. m.	4:30 p. m.

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All Fleeced Flannelette Dresses, $1.00 and $1.25 values. Choice 49c
All Fleeced and Percale Dressing Sacques, 50c values. Choice 29c
All Child's and Misses' Outing Flannel Gowns, 50c values. For only 25c
All Children's Caps and Hoods, White Silk Caps, 50c to $1.00 values 25c
$1.00 to $3.00 values 49c

Men's heavy Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, 50c values 33c
Men's Dress Shirts, vast variety 50c to $1.50 values. Choice for 33c
Women's Grey Fleeced Ribbed Combination Suits, all sizes. Choice 29c
Women's Cashmere Gloves, per pair 21c
Women's Head Scarfs, 50c value 23c
Kid's Mufflers, all colors 19c
Lot Fancy Silks per yard 39c
All Shades Fancy Wash Silks, per yard 17c
Lot of Side Frills, Jabots, etc., 25c values 10c
36 inch true Mercerized Damask, 50c value, per yard .. 34c
All Prints, light and dark, all fast colors, per yard 4c
Full size Comforts, $1.00 value 75c
Full size Blankets, gray or tan 59c
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Aurora Lodge No. 48 F. & A. M. will meet **Thursday evening, Jan. 18 at 7 o'clock. Work in the Master Mason degree.**

WANTED:—Good washwoman 31 West 9th. Phone A 1013. 16-3

WANTED: —Experienced girl for general housework. Apply before 5 o'clock, 457 Brown. 16-5

WANTED: — Two unfurnished rooms. Apply 421 Bond. 16-3

WANTED:—Boy at Kyle's drug store. Apply at once. 16-tf

WANTED:—Two boys at 612 Gay St. 15-3

WANTED:—A single gentleman wants room and board in plain, private family. Address R. G. Times Office. 15-3

WANTED:—Two lady boarders in private family. Cozy room. Good board. Reference, 71 West Ninth. 13-4

WANTED:— Boarders at 500 Court St. 11-8

HELP WANTED
500 MEN—20 to 40 years old wanted at once for Electric Railway Motormen and Conductors; $60 to $100 a month; no experience necessary; fine opportunity; no strike; write immediately for application blank. Address J. W. G., care of Times. 13-30

WANTED:— Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co. Revare & Klingman. Home Phone 490. 20-tf

WAGES:—Notes, rents, board bills, and bad debts collected, large or small. No charge unless collection is made. Dean Law and Collection Co. Rooms 6, 7, and 8, 613 Chillicothe St. Home phone A-1157. Cut this out.

WANTED FOR U. S. ARMY—Able-bodied, unmarried men between ages 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 609 Chillicothe Street, Portsmouth, Ohio. July 1 1912

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good gas heater and range. 1333 Mound St. 16-5

FOR SALE: —Handsome quarter-sawed oak dresser and library table. Half price. 280 East Third 16-tf

FOR SALE:—Cheap. Good lot of Excelsior returned shoes. South East corner 6th and Gay. 16-tf

FOR SALE:—9,000 bars of Star Laundry Soap, 3 bars for 9 cts. At Pepper's, Gay and Gallia. 16-4

FOR SALE:—Modern cottage centrally located, complete, bath, gas, electricity, terms to suit purchaser, at a bargain. Call on Cecil Miller, Room 28, Turley Bldg. Office phone 531. Residence phone 844. 5-tf

TALK WITH DEAN AND GET YOUR MONEY. 25-tf

FOR SALE:—One fresh cow, three 2 year old haifers and a driving mare at 332 Jackson St. 15-6

FOR SALE:—Or exchange for real estate, new stock of merchandise at corner of Sixth and Gay. Home phone B 836. 15-tf

FOR SALE:—Stone cottage, Timmonds ave. I. Reitz, 114 East Second. 7-tf

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FOR SALE:—New 4 room house in Sciotoville. Desirable location. Large lot. See John W. Crawford, Sciotoville. 13-tf

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FOR SALE—Eight foot showcase used two months. Bargain. Apply 45½ Gallia. 11-tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: —Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 245 East 12th. 16-5

FOR RENT:—Strictly modern 5 room cottage, electric lights, gas and bath. B. G. Harris. Phone 97. 15-3

FOR RENT:— Three rooms in the rear of 195 East Eleventh. None with children need apply. 15-tf

FOR RENT:—Store room 512 E. Eleventh. Andy Wolf. 15-tf

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FOR RENT:—Furnished room with or without board in private family, 377 East 11th. 13-6

LOST

LOST:—Small black purse containing between $6 and $7. Return to 747 East Ninth for reward. 16-1

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I have some good vacant lots for sale in Sciotoville and Wheelersburg. Will rapidly increase in value.

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Bldg. Associations Profits & Surplus Are Not Taxable

(By United Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan., 16—The supreme court today decided that surplus and undivided profits of Building and Loan Companies were exempt from taxation. The case was brought up from Defiance county.

The lower courts of Defiance county were upheld in the decision. They had granted to the Defiance Home Savings and Loan Association an injunction restraining S. I. Gruner, auditor of Defiance county, from putting the Association Reserve Fund of $6,500 and its undivided profits of $666 upon the tax duplicate for taxation.

It is expected that this decision will cause to be withdrawn several suits of like character now pending in the lower courts of other counties of the state.

When apprised of the above decision, Dr. W. D. Tremper, who is a member of the executive committee of the Ohio Building Association League, said that the decision in favor of the building association, meant a great deal to every building association in the state. The Defiance case, he said, had been carried to the supreme court by the State League, hoping for just such a decision as the one given.

The grounds upon which the building associations fought were that in reality it made double taxation. Building association stock is listed as credits and must be returned for taxation by the holder. The value of this stock is really established by the reserve fund and the undivided profits, thus making double taxation to tax both.

Building Associations fought for this exemption before the legislature, and an amendment was placed in the Smith One Per Cent tax law, covering this point. Gov. Harmon, however, vetoed the exemption clause.

During the past year there have been a number of contests over the right to inspect books of the associations under the section knocked out today.

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Good 5 room two story house on Vinton avenue 35 ft. lot $250 cash; balance as rent....$18.00.00

Fine 7-room cottage on Fourth street, near Chillicothe; 35-foot lot; water; gas; cistern and goor barn at $3,500

Good 4-room cottage; water; gas, and cistern; new barn on large lot; $300 cash, balance as rent...$1,300

Modern 5-room cottage on Eighth street, just off of Gallia; has bath complete; large barn; $400 cash, balance as rent $2,100

Fine lot on hill, on car line; lot 50 by 177 ....$1,800

Fine 4-room cottage on Sixth street, near Offnere; on car line; water; gas, and stable house. .$2,200

Fine 38-foot lot on East Fourth street; 38 by 120; 6-room stable house; water, gas and cistern at $1,700

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LOST:—Or stolen from Trinity church Black Link Fur Muff and Collar. Muff having pair of Tan Engish Walking Gloves and Pink Silk Scarf. Liberal reward for return of articles. 1304 Offnere. 15-2

LOST:—Small black purse on Fourth or between Court and Chillicothe. Return to 22 E. 9th for reward. 15-3

FOUND:—On 11th street small amount of money. Owner can have by calling 347 East 11th, naming amount and paying 12 cents for advertisement. 16-1

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MEMPHIS MAN IS SHOT DOWN

(By Associated Press.)

Memphis, Tenn., Jan., 16- John T. Bertenstein, manager of a wholesale coal company, here was shot and instantly killed today by W. P. Avery, formerly a real estate operator. The shooting occurred at Avery's home.

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Annual Flood Story

(By Associated Press.)

Gallipolis, O., Jan., 16—With the Ohio river gorged at Minersville, and at the bend 20 miles below this city, and the valley covered with ten inches of snow, there is imminent danger of a disastrous flood if the snow should go off with a heavy rain.

The towboat Jim Wood with 22 loaded coal barges, and the towboat Rival are frozen up in the ice at Dam 18. Both are in danger of destruction when the break-up comes.

ONLY ONE DEAD IN BOSTON BLAZE

(By United Press.)

Boston, Mass., Jan. 16— That the death list of the fire which destroyed the old Rever Hotel today will be confined to one fireman who fell from a ladder, was the opinion expressed by the chief of the fire department today.

He said he had made an incomplete search of the ruined structure and was satisfied that the servants at first believed to have been lost, all escaped.

At 8:30 the building was a mass of ruins and still burning. 240 guests more than half of them women, ran screaming to the snow filled streets when the fire started. Some of them were absolutely nude, while others had but a single garment to shield them from the icy blasts.

CHILDREN BURNED

(By United Press.)

Prentice, Wis., Jan. 16— Word was received here today that the five children of John Deering, a farmer, living east of here, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home last night. The children ranged in age from 1 to 12 years.

JUSTICE HARLAN LEFT SMALL ESTATE

(By United Press.)

Washington, Jan., 16—Washington marveled today at the meagre estate left by the late Justice Harlan of the supreme court, the people's judge, a bare $7,000.

"Justice Harlan was a great man," said Representative Sherley, Democrat, of Kentucky, today. "It now appears that he gave his wonderful talent to the people of this country without thought of pecuniary returns."

Sherley announced that he would endeavor to place in one of the appropriation bills the giving to Justice Harlan's widow the amount voted Justice Brewer's widow, one year's salary.

Was Surely Cold.

Mrs. B. F. Luther of West 9th street, states to The Times that the thermometer at her home registered 14 degrees below this morning.

Kalmar, Gordon, Davidson and Williams, premier comedians, Alhambra Minstrels, January 25th.

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BURNED TO DEATH IN TRIPLE WRECK

(By Associated Press.)

St. Louis, Mo., Jan., 16 Guy L. Stewart, agricultural and industrial agent of the Cotton Belt railway, was burned to death in his private car, in a wreck in which trains on three different roads collided at Kelso, Mo., 140 miles south of St. Louis, early today.

The accident occurred in the yards near the Thebes bridge across the Mississippi river there. The Cotton Belt passenger train, bound for St. Louis, was late in reaching Kelso and found the track blocked by a Chicago and Eastern Illinois freight. While the passenger waited an Iron Mountain train came up, running at 25 miles an hour, crashing into the rear of the Cotton Belt train and telescoping it against the Chicago and Eastern Illinois freight. So far as could be learned none of the passengers were injured.

CONVENTION RESUMED SESSIONS ON TUESDAY

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan., 16—The committee on rules of the constitutional convention following the request of several members of the committee decided to increase the number of committees so that all classes might be given recognition.

The committees named today were as follows: Initiative and Referendum; equal suffrage and elective franchise; judiciary and bill of rights; liquor traffic; taxation; good roads; municipal government; corporations, other than private; county and townships; agriculture; banks and banking; education; executive; labor and public works; miscellaneous provision; printing; submission address to the people; claims against convention; arrangements and phraseology.

It is believed that the action on the part of the committee on rules will eliminate any fight in the convention.

If requests from members as to committee assignments can be taken as a test to the most popular subject to come before the convention is that of good roads.

More delegates asked to be placed on that committee than any other. Taxation is second and the initiative and referendum third. President Bigelow this afternoon announced the appointment of Delegate Lampson, of Ashtabula county, who led the fight against giving Bigelow power of appointing committees, as chairman of the good roads committee.

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, Jan., 16 --Prof. Geo. W. Knight, of Franklin county, won a compromise from the committee on rules as to the limitation and regulation of committee work. He said that a longer period than one week should be given a committee for consideration of any matter before it could be called back into the house and this was conceded by the committee. The rules will provide that 14 days be given for consideration.

Encouraged by this concession Prof. Knight and his supporters renewed their contention for a larger number of committees and a wordy battle was waged with the committee on rules. Prof. Knight contended they had been sent here to make a new constitution, not to make over the old one, and incorporate a few new ideas into it.

President Bigelow on the other hand said he was confident the people would be satisfied if old abuses were corrected, progressive ideas incorporated and those things not complained of left in the constitution. He said if this were done they could finish up their labors in a short time and have the constitution ready for submission to the people at the Mat primaries.

Coming back at Bigelow Knight said that the people did not ask for haste, they wanted thoroughness and perfection and did not care how long a time it took.

It developed during the morning that nearly one-half of the delegates to the convention had asked President Bigelow to put them on the liquor committee.

TELLS ABOUT BIG CLASS

At the regular meeting of the Owls at their Nest Monday night, President Roy McElhaney made a report on the big class initiation of this splendid fraternal organization held in Cincinnati Sunday, when 2,500 candidates were put through the degrees. He also announced the coming within a few days of M. M. Shea, of Boston, a national deputy organizer of the order, to take charge of the campaign to be waged for securing new members owf the Portsmouth Nest.

Mr. Clyde Knost, basso soloist, Alhambra Minstrels, Jan. 25th.

Accused Preacher Located

(By Associated Press.)

Pittsburg, Jan., 16—Word of the arrest of Rev. W. D. McFarland, United Presbyterian minister, charged with having performed two criminal operations upon his private secretary, Miss Elizabeth Coe, was expected every moment today by the district attorney. According to the district attorney the minister is now at Cedar Creek, Tenn., at the home of his wife. The Tennessee authorities have been notified to arrest him.

A Plea In Abatement

By reason of the common pleas court having obtained full jurisdiction in the matter of distributing the estate of William Robertson, deceased, a plea in abatement was filed Tuesday in probate court by Attorney Milner, for the heirs, praying that the action in the latter court be abated. The application was granted.

Clergyman's Son Cured of Tuberculosis

Consumption is a flattering disease and the sufferer is filled with bright hopes of improvement. Call it by its own dread name—and then—take Eckman's Alterative; because it is effective in Tuberculosis. No one need doubt about it—there is plenty of evidence from live witnesses. Investigate the following:—

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STEAMERS IN DANGER FROM FIRE

(By Associated Press.)

Gallipolis, O., Jan., 16—Several steamboats that had gone into winter quarters in the Point Pleasant harbor in the mouth of the Kanawha river, were in danger of being burned this morning when a traffic barge owned by Frank Riggs, of Raven Rock, caught fire and burned to the water's edge. The barge had 2,000 barrels of apples aboard and the total loss is estimated at $5,000.

Girl Took Acid

(By Associated Press.)

Chillicothe, Jan., 16—Rebecca Selby, of Catlettsburg, Ky., also known by the name of Blanche Ferguson, who had been a shining figure in Chillicothe's "Great White Way," committed suicide this afternoon by drinking carbolic acid. She left a note saying that she was tired of life. The girl was about 25 years of age. She came here from Portsmouth where she had spent a few weeks.

EMPEROR ABDICATES

(By United Press.)

San Francisco, Jan., 16 —A cable message received here today from Shanghai states that a proclamation of arbitration had been published by the throne of Peking today. The message further stated the empress dowager and the emperor had announced their willingness to retire to their summer home at Jehol.

HARMON SEES A VICTORY FOR HIS PARTY

(By United Press.)

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 16—Democrats were confident of victory in 1912 when Governor Harmon of Ohio departed today to continue on his Democratic nomination tour of the west.

Harmon attacked Taft's tariff vetoes and predicted an overwhelming victory for the Democrats at the next election, in his address here last night.

The old favorite, Richard E. Gordon, soloist, Alhambra Minstrels, Jan. 25th.

AT THE GRAND
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COSTUMES FOR THE SCHOOLGIRL.



THE good looking coat illustrated is made of a fur fabric which closely resembles Persian lamb. The young girl in her teens wears her coat and her skirts well below her knees, and her boots button high, so that very little stocking is visible. White stockings are worn only by very small girls in the street.

Navy blue corduroy, with collar and cuff facings of tan corduroy, makes a smart and practical coat for a young girl. The lines of the coat in this combination, which is illustrated, are particularly good and the model is so simple that it could easily be copied at home. The coat is lined with tan satin to match the collar facing.

The quaint bonnet is built of shirred blue taffeta, and over the taffeta is a fitted crown of blue velvet, scalloped out around the edge and having a circular crown top, so that it fits down smoothly over the hat shape. Upon the velvet crown are applique trimmings of heavy cream Venise lace and small silk roses in shades of gray, blue and pale shrimp pink.

SOCIETY & FASHION

The members of the Portsmouth Reading Club enjoyed a delightful session with Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Tremper last evening, everything being arranged by the pleasant host and hostess for their comfort and pleasure. The several numbers on the program, as follows, were also interesting:

Paper, Arnold Bennet, The Man—Miss Alice Duduit.

Arnold Bennet, The Novelist—Miss Clara Waller.

Dr. Margaret Fulton's number, "Recent Magazine Poems," was filled by selections made by Rev. J. W. Dunning, Dr. G. H. Williamson and Mrs. Williamson.

Mrs. Charles Blakemore, of Roanoke, Va, and Mr. William D. Tremper were the only guests.

The next meeting of the club will be held with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Coe.

The Holmes Club met in deferred session last night at the residence of Mrs. Mae Pfau, on Franklin avenue. Preceding the program, a business session was held, when the following officers were elected:

Mrs. Jane Webb, president.

Mrs. Mabel Stahler, vice-president.

Miss Clara Burke, secretary.

Miss Helen Royse, treasurer.

Executive committee — Misses Edna Streich, Lulu Dawson and Mrs. Mae Jordon Pfau.

Readings from "Ben Hur" by Mrs. Nell Adams and Miss Mary Margaret Fuller composed the program.

During the social hour a hot lunch was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrit M. Coburn, who were married at Ironton last Wednesday, have returned from their wedding trip to Cincinnati and Georgetown and are now ready to receive their friends at their cozey home in Wheelersburg. Mr. Coburn is engaged as undertaker with L. L. Hacquard at that place.

Mrs. William Ross is visiting relatives in Chillicothe, her former home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Bauens, of Chillicothe, announce the birth of a son Monday morning.

Miss Mabel Cryder, a popular young girl of Chillicothe, who frequently visits relatives in this city, will be married this evening at the home of her parents in that city to Mr. Edgar Ross, of Bluefield, W. Va.

Mr. Karl Figelstahler, of Sciotostahler of Sciotoville, accompanied by Messrs. Karl Brant and Fred Bloot, intimate friends of his, came up to spend Sunday with Mrs. Figelstahler and baby, George, who have been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Neal, of Vine street. All were most hospitably entertained at the Neal home, Mrs. Neal giving a very enjoyable dinner party in their honor. They all took their departure in the evening for their home. They were among the hundreds of spectators Sunday afternoon at the foot of the Water street hill observing the coasters.—Chillicothe Gazette.

Mrs. Peter Hubertus, of Waco, Neb., who has been spending the past three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Sandley, at Powellsville, is now visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed Messmer, of East Eleventh street. She expects to leave for the West next Thursday.

On February ninth the members of Judge Blair's class of the Second Presbyterian Sunday School will banquet their husbands and families. The affair to be given in the basement of the church.

Mrs. Albert Prose, of Gallipolis, arrived here Monday for a visit to her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cramer, of West Fourth street.

Miss Esther Martin, who recently underwent a surgical operation at Hempstead hospital, was removed to her home on Jackson street by Lynn's ambulance, Monday.

Among those who are planning to take summer tours on the old continent is Miss Pearl McKerrihan, a high school teacher, who will leave this country about the first of June for an extended trip.

Mrs. Seymour Kimes returned to her home in Columbus Sunday, after a three week's visit to local relatives and friends. She has recovered from her recent indisposition.

Miss Carrie Kinney, who has been visiting relatives in Cincinnati, Ohio, and Georgetown, Ohio, has returned to Portsmouth to visit her sisters, Mrs. A. C. Richmond and Miss Laura Kinney, for a few weeks before returning to her home.

Mrs. Earl W. Bardin entertained at dinner today Mrs. Fanny Bardin and Mr. and Mrs. George D. Selby.

Mrs. Edward Stevens and Miss Ruth Thompson spent today in Ironton as guests of Mrs. Harry Mountain.

Miss Margaret Edwards, formerly of this city, but now of Washington, D. C., where she was holding a position in the census department, has resigned to accept a position with the Goodlow United States book house.

Mrs. Jacob Lauermann delightfully entertained the members of the Tuesday Afternoon Thimble Club today at her home on East Eleventh street, the following members braving the severe cold to enjoy Mrs. Lauermann's hospitality: Mesdames Emma Harley, Nora Banfield, Margaret Hummel, Elizabeth Mucklethwait, Mary Rice, Lucy Grant, Jennie Martin, Anna Holbrook, Mary Crain and Miss Kate Reinhart. The only out-of-town guest was Mrs. George Waller, of New Boston. After sewing, the hostess served a delicious hot lunch to the guests. The club will meet next week with Mrs. Jennie Martin.

Doctor's Best Formula

Breaks Severest Cold in a Day and Cures Any Curable Cough.

This has been published here for several winters and has proven the quickest and most reliable formula obtainable for coughs and colds. "From your druggist get two ounces of Glycerine and half an ounce Concentrated Pine compound. Take these two ingredients home and put them into a half pint of good whiskey. Shake it well and take one to two teaspoonfuls after each meal and at bed time. Smaller doses to children according to age. Be sure to get only the genuine (Globe) Concentrated Pine. Each half ounce bottle comes in a sealed tin screw-top case. Any druggist has it on hand or will quickly get it from his wholesale house. Don't experiment with preparations because of cheapness. It don't pay to fool with a bad cold.

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Here is quickest and surest cure known for corns, calloses, bunions, frost bites, sweaty and aching feet. "Two Tablespoonfuls of Calocide compound in hot foot-bath, gives instant relief and if repeated daily for a short time permanent cure results." Get a 25c box of this remarkable Calocide from any druggist or direct from Medical Formula Laboratories of Chicago.

A wedding, or weddings, that may be of interest to relatives and friends of the contracting parties in Greenup county, was solemnized in Covington, Ky., January 2nd, when Wm. B. Sullivan and Miss Mae B. Byrne, and Elmer B. Byrne and Miss Mildred May Court were united in marriage, the double ceremony being performed by Rev. G. W. Bunton, of the Union M. E. church, in the presence of a few near relatives. Mr. Byrne and the former Miss Byrne are children of Mr. G. B. Byrne, of Lineville, for nearly 25 years an employe of the C. & O. railroad in various capacities. Mr. Sullivan is a C. & O. freight conductor and the bride of Mr. Byrne, who is a C. & O. brakeman, is a winsome young lady of Covington. Both young couples, after a short wedding trip, have gone to housekeeping in Covington, amid their numerous friends, and with the best wishes of their host of acquaintances.—Greenup Republican.

Among the many jolly coasting parties on Lincoln Hill, last evening was a party of twelve, with Miss Ruth Thompson as the hostess. After the coasters had enough "slides" and "freezing" they went to the home of Miss Thompson where a delicious hot lunch was served. The guests included Dr. and Mrs. R. O. Le Baron, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Moulton, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar W. Newman, Miss Emma Johnson and Messrs. Raymond D. York, Guy V. Thompson, George M. Taylor and George L. Davis.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Free Baptist church met last evening with Mrs. Anna Cabiness at the Terminals, with her sisters, the Misses Castor, as assistant hostesses. Following the transaction of the regular bi-monthly busines the hostesses served a delicious hot lunch. The next meeting of the society will be held in two weeks at the residence of Miss Goldie Nourse on Robinson avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Covert and son, Master Floyd of Boston, Va., are the guests of Mr. Covert's sister, Miss Izora Covert on McConnell avenue, en route to Otway to visit Mrs. Covert's sister. From there they will go to Wamsleyville to visit Mr. and Mrs. Larkin N. Covert and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Schaupp of Batavia, are the guests of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hoodley of West Sixth street. Mr. Schaupp has been tendered a position at the Steel plant which he will accept and assume his duties Monday.

Mrs. E. T. Welch is visiting with her mother in Ashland, Ky.

Mrs. Mayme Stealey will entertain the Qui Vive Kensington Club on Wednesday afternoon.

The Mizpah Kensington Club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Roy Pratter on Gallia street.

Mrs. J. L. Watkins entertained the Second Street Whist Club this afternoon at her home on East Fourth. Mesdames Howard Williamson, Weil Hutchins and Guy Williams played in the places of the absent members.

Mrs. Dudley Hutchins took her departure for Washington, D. C., today, after a delightful visit with friends in this city.

Miss May Dewey, of Jasper, was a business visitor in the city today.

Mr. Walter Uhl returned yesterday from Piketon, where he was the guest of relatives for a week.

The members of Mr. John Williams' class of the Second Presbyterian Sunday school will entertain their wives with a banquet, at the church on January 26.

The members of the Woman's Auxiliary will hold an important meeting on Thursday afternoon, at 2:30, at the residence of Miss Margaret Firmstone on West Fourth street. All members are urged to be present. Mrs. Hattie Russell as president, and Mrs. Sallie K. Oldfield, secretary.

A merry party composed of the Atlas Trading Co.'s clerks and their friends enjoyed an evening outing by coasting. After coasting they were served to a very appetizing hot lunch by Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cissna of East Twelfth street.

The Young People's Missionary Society of Bigelow church held a very interesting and delightful meeting last night with Misses Jeffers on West Sixth street. Miss Helen Harwood and Miss Louise Bourgholzer rendered several pleasing piano and vocal selections and Miss Emma Johnson read a missionary paper. Among the visitors, was Miss Viola Fry, the new deaconess in Bigelow. At the conclusion of the program, the hostess served a dainty repast. The society is planning to give a Kensington in two weeks, at the residence of Mrs. Pearl Selby.

The next regular meeting will be held with Miss Ida Mercer, with Miss Marjorie Pursell and Mr. Arthur Maul assistants.

One of the most delightful social affairs in church circles of the week was the supper given last night by the members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Second Presbyterian church. The husbands of the members and Dr. Alexander Jackson of Cleveland were the guests.

The tables were arranged in a hollow square with a round table in the center and were charmingly decorated with asparagus, fern, carnations and hyacinths. Covers were laid for 115. Short talks on interesting subjects were given by Mrs. Wm. E. Gault, Mr. Henry Heer, Mr. Irving Drew, Dr. Charles S. Robertson and Dr. Jackson.

Mr. D. C. Davies of Ironton, Mr. Grant Williams and Mrs. J. E. Williams went to Columbus on Monday on a business trip.

Mrs. W. S. Walker of East 5th street, spent Monday in Ironton where she went to consult an eye specialist, Dr. O. B. Dunn.

Mrs. W. B. Strayer of Marion, is a guest at the home of Mr. J. F. Strayer on West Sixth street.

The West Portsmouth W. C. T. U. will meet in regular session on Thursday afternoon in the Reading rooms, on West Second street.

Miss Alice Blake's stringed orchestra composed of pupils, from her advanced class, will resume their weekly rehearsals, the first to take place on Friday evening at the home of one of the members, which will be announced later. Those claiming membership in this highly instructive organization are Misses Anna Obrist, Nellie Hudson, Ida Mercer, Mame Johnson, Ada Hitchcock and Mrs. Harry Donally.

Miss Gertrude Schmidt will again preside as accompanist for the orchestra.

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A 50-cent bottle of Pinex, mixed with home-made sugar syrup, gives you a full pint—a family supply of the most pleasant and effective cough remedy you ever used. Easily prepared in five minutes—directions in package.

The way it takes hold of a cough and gives instant relief, will make you regret that you never tried it before. Stimulates the appetite, is slightly laxative and tastes good—children take it willingly. It has a wonderful record in cases of incipient lung trouble and is splendid for croup, asthma, bronchitis, throat troubles, etc.

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Prominent Doctor's Best Prescription Easily Mixed at Home.

"From your druggist get one ounce of Toris compound (in original sealed package) and one ounce of syrup of Sarsaparilla compound. Take these two ingredients home and put them into a half pint of good whiskey. Shake the bottle and take a tablespoonful before each meal and at bed-time." This is said to be the quickest and best remedy known to the medical profession for rheumatism and back-ache. Good results come after the first dose. If your druggist does not have Toris compound in stock he will get it for you in a few hours from his wholesale house. Don't be influenced to take a patent medicine instead of this. Insist on having the genuine Toris compound in the original one ounce, sealed, yellow package. Hundreds of the worst cases were cured here by this prescription last winter.

Mrs. W. C. Hartinger's class of the Trinity Sunday school will entertain with a Kensington on Thursday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Jack Coleman, as a farewell social courtesy to one of the members, Mrs. A. McMullen, who leaves soon for her new home in Columbus.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Al Hammel of this city will be interested to hear of the arrival of a fine girl at 8 o'clock this morning at the home of their daughter, Mrs. M. E. Edelson, of Ironton.

Trinity Initiates

Trinity Lodge, F. & A. M., initiated a class of seven candidates, as follows. Monday night: Ed Walton, John Slade, Peter Sanders, Wm. Price, Charles Higgins, Pendleton Bird and Samuel Carr. Grand Worthy Master Cordell was present and made an interesting talk. He left Tuesday for Ironton.

Fined For Swearing

The new Socialist mayor, John Grant, of South Webster, is causing some talk and excitement in his village by a recent action in his court. The mayor was in a barber shop and overheard Frank Shope, a young boy, swearing. He ordered the boy before him and gave him a stiff fine, and when the boy's father appeared and remonstrated with the mayor, he threatened to have him fined.

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Held On A Bad Charge

In 'Squire Byron's court this afternoon James Piatt, of the West Side, was held under a bond of $400 on a paternity charge made by Lucille Lyman. Piatt arranged for his release.

MR. HORCHOW AT HOME

Samuel Horchow returned last night from Grand Rapids, where he has been attending the annual furniture exhibition. Mr. Horchow purchased a large stock of goods which will arrive in a few days.

Mr. Knighten Has Relapse

W. H. Knighten, crew dispatcher who went to work last Saturday after several months' absence, owing to an injury sustained in a fall from a street car, was compelled to return home after a few hours' work and is again under the doctor's care.

Deal Not Closed

The negotiations between the Bragdon Drygoods Company and Peter Bevare for the latter's property on West Fourth street, has not been consummated. The option has 12 days to go yet. There is every indication that the deal is going through.

PLUMBING.

Earl B. Lawson. Home phone A 692. 10-6

ALBERT HYLAND IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. John B. Knauss of 419 East Eleventh street, received a telegram this morning stating that her brother, Albert Hyland was critically ill at St. Luke's hospital in Denver, Col., and was not expected to live. Mrs. Knauss' mother, Mrs. L. J. Hyland left today to be at the bedside of her son.

Mr. Hyland until a year ago was a resident of this city, being employed at the Pure Milk company. He left here for Denver, Colo., and it will be remembered that about three months ago he was injured in a quarry in Denver. Mr. Hyland attempted to get out of the way of a blasting rock and fell. His left leg was broken above the knee and the ankle crushed so badly that it was necessary to amputate the foot.

The limb had never been set and yesterday the attending physicians broke the leg again to set it properly but pneumonia developed and the young man who is only 24 years of age, is not expected to survive.

Young Hyland is a member of the I. O. O. F. and Masons in this city. He has two brothers, John and William, in Denver.

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"Better for its uses than anything else I have ever seen."—Miss M. Sennes, Graduate Nurse, St. Peter's.

Rat Nibbled His Big Toe

While Ex-Policeman Oscar Ruark was snoozing peacefully between a pair of blankets last night, a rat, and a big one, too, climbed into his bed and was nibbling on Oscar's big toe, when the gnawing finally aroused Oscar.

Tuesday Mr. Ruark set a trap for Mr. Rat and he soon landed the fellow, and had the pleasure of decimating the ranks of the rodent family.

Going To Columbus.

Dr. Jos. Lake has gone to Columbus to attend the annual meeting of the Ohio State Veterinarian's Association. He will be absent several days.

SAY BOY IS BAD ACTOR

A complaint of general incorrigibility has been made to the juvenile court against Edward Greenslate, 16, who lives with his mother, Mrs. Lucinda Greenslate, at Sixteenth and Waller streets.

The lad has been ordered in Wednesday, when he will be asked to explain his conduct to Judge Beatty.

SHE GAVE UP ALL HOPE

Physicians Failed To Help Mrs. Green, But She Finally Found Relief in Cardui.

Meetze, Va.—Mrs. J. C. Green of this place, says: "I suffered with womanly troubles so that I could hardly sit up. Two of the best doctors in our town treated me, and I tried different medicines, until I gave up all hope of ever getting well.

One day, I decided to try some Cardui. It did so much for me that I ordered some more, and it cured me! Today, I feel as well as I ever did in my life.

The pains and the trouble are all gone. I feel like another person in every way. I wish every sufferer could know what Cardui will do for sick women."

A few doses of Cardui at the right time, will save many a big doctor bill, by preventing serious sickness.

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It may be just the medicine you need.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

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Yellow Free Peaches, per can 15c	BULK OATS Per Pound 5c	Bulk Macaroni, pound 5c
	BULK MACARONI Per Pound 5c	
Tomatoes, per can 10, 12 and 15c.	SWIFT'S PRIDE WASHING POWDER 3 Boxes 10c	Pure Lard, 2 pounds ..25c
Quart Jar of Pure Preserves 25c	SKIFT'S PRIDE CLEANSER 4 Cans 25c	Pickle Pork, pound ..10c
Dutch Cleanser 3 cans 25c	LENOX SOAP 7 Bars 25c	Good Sound Apples, per peck 25c
SUGAR CURED SHOULDERS		12 1-2c Pound

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A TIMES REPORTER TELLS OF ANOTHER OHIO CONSTITUTION

Capt. N. W. Evans left for Columbus Monday morning to resume his duties as a member of the constitutional convention.

The Captain thinks pretty well of the personnel of the convention, and thinks they are at least as good looking a bunch as the assembled membership of the legislature or senate.

A member of the Times staff, who was a printer before he became a reporter and consequent great man, has something to say about the constitutional convention that assembled in Cincinnati in 1872. He was working in a book office in Cincinnati at that time and boarding at a small and cheap hotel called the Tremont House, located at the corner of Fifth and Sycamore streets. It is still there, and still a small and cheap hotel, but its name has been changed. At the time spoken of it was a great hang-out for printers, marketers and liverymen.

Well, the convention came to Cincinnati. For some reason the members did not like Columbus, where the initial meetings were held, and picked up their playthings and moved to Cincinnati, aided and abetted, it is said, by sundry inducements, financial and possibly liquid, by certain "interests" of the larger city.

Well, the "Con-con," as it was universally called, took up its abode in the then newly-abandoned Spencer House, kindly donated by the city and the "interests." It proved a good place for holding the sessions. In looking around for boarding houses a goodly number of the members discovered the Tremont House and its cheap rates. They filled the house, crowding tearfully the printers, and hucksters and liverymen. Though good fellows, they seemed to be of the "short skate" order. Other members, possibly less worthy, sought the big hotels and swell boarding houses.

Anyway, they were given the time of their lives by the printers, etc., who were not slow in giving them pointers how to build a constitution. The members were mostly farmers, and seemed disposed to make the most of their brief sojourn in a big city.

The most intelligent of the bunch seemed to be Dr. Caldwell, the member from Pike, and who knew Portsmouth about as well as he did Piketon. One didn't take the convention very seriously, nor anything else, for that matter. He was the life of the house. There was one man, however, who did take the convention, and everything else, seriously in the extreme. It was a Judge somebody from Steubenville. Tall and dignified, he was somewhat of an icicle in the otherwise genial temperature of the little old Tremont. He was arrayed in real store clothes, and printers, etc., wondered, sometimes quite audibly, why he didn't go to a higher priced hotel.

A tall, farmerish man from Muskingum county ran largely to moral issues, and his conversation was largely in the nature of preachments about the wickedness of Cincinnati. He didn't know much about Cincinnati personally, but the printers saw to it that he didn't suffer for information along that line, frequently veering widely of the truth in their descriptions. He couldn't get it out of his head that Zanesville was the logical place for holding the convention, or possibly Dresden or Roseville. He thought no good constitution could come out of Cincinnati, in which he was possibly correct, for the people of the state voted the constitution out of existence as soon as they could get at it.

Well, one day the city of Cincinnati, or the "interests" thereof, gave the Con-con a joy ride up the buckeye plane to Mt. Lookout, with refreshments, principally liquid, on the side. The man from Muskingum was there, as it was free. When he saw the liquid part of the program he was moved to righteous indignation, gave the party a piece of his mind and left them to their fate.

The brilliant Fred Mussey was then at his best as a newspaper writer, and the humor of the thing struck him so forcibly that he put his thoughts into poetry and printed it in the paper on which he was employed. The poem was entitled "The Man From Muskingum," the "um" properly hyphenated. Doc Caldwell rose to a question of privilege in the convention and read Mussey's poem as part of the order of business.

Judge Bannon represented Scioto county in the convention, but he did not belong to the Tremont House contingent. It was the Gibson for him. The Judge has a great appreciation of a joke, and he is also a good judge of poetry. He moved that Mussey's effusion be engrafted as part of the constitution, resulting in great fun.

The man from Muskingum was heard little of after that.

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Syrup Figs	34c
Syrup Pepsin	34c
Wine Cardui	67c
Scott's Emulsion	34c
Pinkham Compound	89c
Tonsiline	17c
King's Discovery	34 and 67c
Foley's Honey and Tar	17c
Piso	17c
Listerine	17c
Wright's Rapid Relief	17c
Red Cross Tooth Paste	17c
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10 Tooth Brush	9c
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Some Hogs

Mrs. Simon Spriggs of West Fourth street, had two hogs killed Monday that weighed 350 lbs each. Peter Davis of West 4th street had two that when dressed weighed 450 pounds.

Maurice Coe Was In Town

Maurice Coe, formerly deputy auditor, now connected with the state bureau of public accounting, is home from West Union, where he has been engaged for some weeks inspecting the books for the fourth circuit judicial district.

Mr. Coe's next work will be in Hamilton county, and after a short stay with his family, will go to Cincinnati.

Lou Still Shivers!

Lou Mathews invested in a brand new thermometer Monday. He had scarcely placed it in front of the Keystone Press building early Tuesday, when some cruel sneak thief made away with it. Lou still shivers, even when the sun shines, because he can't tell how cold it is.

Fred Klingman, the young tenor in the Alhambra Minstrels.

ENDLESS TROUBLE

Follows an Attack of the Grip Unless the Blood Is Built Up and Purified.

Few diseases so shatter the health as the grip. Its victims all tell the same story. They are left despondent, tired, faint and wretched in every way. They have no appetite, ambition or strength, cannot sleep, and suffer from headaches, backaches and nervousness. In this weakened condition lies the real danger of the grip. The body falls an easy prey to bronchitis, pneumonia and even consumption. Nearly every form of nervous trouble has also been known to follow an attack. The work of the grip is so complete that many of its victims date their years of sickness from a single attack.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People give the quickest and most thorough relief from the after-effects of the grip. They build up and purify the blood, drive the poisons out of the system and give strength and tone to the entire body. They make the body able to resist the dangerous diseases which follow an attack.

Mr. M. D. Rowland, of No. 123 Allegan street, East, Lansing, Mich., says: "After an attack of the grip my stomach was left in a very bad condition. My appetite was poor and what little I did eat my stomach could not digest. After each meal I had terrible pains and cramps which could be relieved only by vomiting. I was getting in bad shape and worked only part of the time. I doctored for over a year and was relieved for a time but would soon feel as bad as ever. I noticed in a paper that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People were good for my trouble and gave them a trial. I was helped after taking them a while and finally entirely cured. The cure must be permanent as I haven't had a return of my trouble in any form."

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50c. per box; six boxes, $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

OFFICERS OF GREENUP BANKS

Greenup, Ky., Jan. 16.—The First National bank held its annual meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 9. W. T. Hord, S. G. Bates, J. E. Pollock, J. D. Biggs and J. K. Pollock were re-elected directors for the ensuing year. The same officers were chosen, who are W. T. Hord, president; S. G. Bates, vice president; J. E. Pollock, cashier, and W. P. McCoy, assistant cashier.

The Citizens State bank of Greenup held its annual meeting of the stockholders Tuesday, Jan. 2. The directors elected were Elwood Kinner, John E. Hoffman, W. T. Cole, B. F. Bennett and A. D. Cole.

The same officials were re-elected, who are Elwood Kinner, president; John E. Hoffmann, vice president; A. D. Cole, general counsel; W. T. Cole, cashier and W. W. Allen, assistant cashier.

Are Selling Books

Misses Harriet DeYoung and Mabel G. Broughton, two Chicago young ladies are in the city for a few days selling books dealing on the White Slave traffic.

The young women called on Mayor Tynes Tuesday morning and explained their mission. While engaged in making a canvass they make it a point to study local conditions and if any cases of girls going astray come to their direct notice they report the same to their employer, Samuel P. Wilson, investigator of the Douglass Neighborhood club of Chicago, and author of "Chicago by Gaslight," "Chicago and Its Cesspools of Infamy."

Dan Was In No Danger

The report that Dan J. Wilson, a Stockdale man, had broke through the ice while cutting the crystal at a mill pond near that village, Monday, and came dangerously near drowning, was branded as absolutely false, Tuesday. Fact of the matter is, Mr. Wilson while cutting ice, slipped and one foot went into the water, and that is how close he came to meeting a watery grave.

MISSING GREENUP MAN IS LOCATED

The Greenup Republican says:

"Crit Newsom has turned up at last, or at least that is the report that is being circulated in Greenup the past week. Guyles Hilton, son of Nathan Hilton, of Three Mile, returned home last week on a furlough from the U. S. Army and reports that Crit Newsom, from Greenup, is in his regiment, but at present he is located on an island in a government hospital off the coast of California with a badly injured hand.

"Young Newsom was supposed to have been murdered last June two years ago, in Kansas City, Mo., and when the news of his supposed murder reached his parents here, a diligent search and inquiry was made. His father, who is now dead, went to Kansas City and a reward was offered for his body or his whereabouts, but nothing had been heard of him until young Hilton returned home last week.

"It will be remembered by our many readers that Crit Newsom and his brother, Daniel, were in business together in Kansas City, Mo., and one night Crit suddenly disappeared. It was thought at the time he was murdered for the money he had, or supposed to have had, on his person.

"After this supposed incident happened Daniel came to Portsmouth, Ohio, and located there, and about a year ago he committed suicide by shooting himself.

"Young Hilton and Newsom were serving in the U. S. Army in Honolul and Hilton says that Newsom knew of his father's and brother's death, he having gotten the news out of the Greenup papers that were sent to Hilton.

"The relatives and friends of him have written to his address to ascertain whether he is the real Crit or not."

DREAMS AND FINDS BELT

Dreams sometimes come true and Ordie Hey of West Third St., is a firm believer in dreams from now on.

The Hey family have been grieving over the loss of a cartridge belt which was owned by Mr. Hey's great great grandfather who carried it during the revolutionary war. The belt had been handed down from one generation to another but for a number of years it had not been seen by any of the Hey family.

Sunday night the family were talking of the lost belt and Mr. Hey after retiring, dreamed that the belt was hanging in a room that had not been occupied for a number of years.

When Mr. Hey looked for it in the unused room Monday he found it where he dreamed that it was.

Salvation Army Is Celebrating Siege

Rev. Alfred H. Hughes of the Bigelow Methodist church will speak at the Salvation Army headquarters tonight. Special services will be held every other night at army headquarters until February 5.

The Salvation Army throughout the United States is celebrating what is known as The Siege which begins on January 1st and continues until February 5. The local army has been holding midwinter tent meetings during the celebration.

State House Talk

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 16.—This afternoon the constitutional convention will select its complement of officials and employes. A week ago, the secretary and sergeant-at-arms were chosen, and a committee of five was appointed to determine what other places should be created and recommend competent persons to fill them. This committee met Monday night and completed its work. Judge Roehm, of Dayton, the chairman, submitted the report of the committee.

Ex-Senator Alfred M. Cohen, prominently mentioned for the Democratic nomination for governor, was in Columbus Monday afternoon on official business. His friends have just completed a canvass of Cincinnati to ascertain his popularity there, and the encouragement they received in that city and also from different parts of the state was such as to lead them to believe that Mr. Cohen would make a good run if he should decide to seek the honor.

Blake.

BAD TIME FOR RAILROAD MEN

Former Police Chief W. N. Davidson is in receipt of a letter from his son, W. E. Davidson, who for some years past has been running as engineer on the Santa Fe railroad.

Mr. Davidson for the past four weeks has been in charge of a snow plow between Amarillo, Tex. and Wayne Oak, Okla. The road is blocked with hundreds upon hundreds of cars many containing live stock freezing to death and others loaded with fruit that is perishing. Engines are constantly dying and the present blizzard is said to be the most disastrous the railroads of that section have experienced in 20 years.

Leg Broken By A Fall

Oscar Sutton, of New Boston, fell Monday afternoon on the icy pavement and dislocated his right knee-cap and fractured a bone in his leg.

No Clues.

Chief Philipps said Tuesday that he had not as yet struck any clue to the cloak room thefts at Trinity church Sunday evening.

On Business Trip.

George Leckley of Adams county, is here on a short business trip.

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Get a 25 cent bottle of Danderine and just try this—Stops hair falling out at once.

Danderine dissolves every particle of Dandruff like snow beneath the blazing sun, cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp; forever stopping itching and falling hair.

Within ten minutes after an application of Danderine you cannot find a single trace of Dandruff or a loose or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you will actually see new hair, fine new hair—sprouting all over the scalp.

A little Danderine will immediately double the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove to yourself tonight—now—that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all—you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine.

HIST! A SHOEWORKER IS GOING TO THE BAD

The Times received this communication Tuesday that promises trouble for some gay and giddy married citizen:

Editor Times:—

There is a couple that is passing their time off as man and wife. They are seen to travel on John and Eleventh streets. The man is a shoeworker. He wears a long black overcoat, a broad rim black hat and has a black mustache. The woman wears different coats. The most of the time she wears a short gray coat, and a black head shawl. She is a married woman. The man has a large family and a noble woman for a wife. He is seen to pass this way nights and mornings, and always on Saturday and Tuesday nights. Keep a look out, you can trap them. Where are the law-abiding people? Where are the police force that they can not see such as this? The man has a nice family and they should not be imposed upon by such cattle. The family has my sympathy for I see this. The man comes out of his way to work by coming out John street. Look out for them everybody.

A Friend of The Family.

Old Coin Story From Pittsburg

From Pittsburg comes an old coin story that is worth a notice among the Times collection. The letter is from Ben Rase, a former Portsmouth citizen, who has been in Pittsburg for the past seven years acting as street car conductor Mr. Rase's letter reads:

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 13, 1912.

Ed Times:—I have taken notice of several old dates of coins in your paper. I will give you a list of some of mine, all United States money:

2 half dollars, 1868 ones, with O under eagle; 3 nickels with figure 5 on one, 1867, two 1866; 8 57-62-63-78; 1 quarter, 1831, marked 25c under eagle; 1 dime, 1836, marked 10c under eagle, Ephribus Unum over eagle; 1 dime, 1841; one white cent, 1863; three 3 cent, one 1865, two 1867; two half-dimes, 1853-1871; one 2-cent, 1865; four large one-cent, 1856-45-37-17. One 20 cents piece, 1875; one half-dollar, 1808, 50c below eagle, Ephribus Unium above. The most of these are odd dates, some are very rare, especially the last one or two, which I have just received lately.

BEN RASE,
Pittsburg, Pa.

A Local Coin Man

Paul A. Weiss, of 710 John street, is another collector of old coins who has just been heard from, but he comes to the front of the race with a collection that he prizes highly.

Mr. Weiss has coins dated from A. D. 63 to 1911. A Trojan coin bears the date of A. D. 63, while other foreign coins are dated 364, 337 and 307. His collection of foreign coins is very valuable. Several pieces of U. S. money are worth having by the collectors, among them being a 50-cent piece dated 1806, half-dimes, two-cent pieces and a three-cent piece. Mr. Weiss has a large collection of Indian relics.

TO INSTALL OFFICERS

Stockdale Union Grange will install its new staff of officers at a meeting to be held Tuesday night. The new officers are; Louis Brann, master; Brooks Milan, overseer; William Dever, stewart; Oscar Brown, assistant steward; L. C. Nicklet gate-keeper; J. Lorbach, treasurer; R. S. Brown, chaplain; Nancy Brown, lady assistant steward; Katie Brown, ceries; Lucy Brown, somons; Ella Nicklet, floral; R. E. McGraw, secretary.

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The Perfect Laxative For Elderly People

Age has its attractions no less than youth in a more serene and quieter life. But it is this very life of rest without muscular exercise that brings with it digestive disorders that arise from intestinal inactivity. Chief of these are a chronic, persistent constipation.

Most elderly people are troubled in this way, with accompanying symptoms of belching, drowsiness after eating, headaches and general lassitude. Frequently there is difficulty of digesting even light food. Much mental trouble arises, as it is hard to find a suitable remedy. First of all the advice may be given that elderly people should not use salts, cathartic pills or powders, waters or any of the more violent purgatives. What they need, women as well as men, is a mild laxative tonic, one that is pleasant to take and yet acts without griping.

The remedy that fills all these requirements, and has in addition tonic properties that strengthen the stomach, liver and bowels, is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which thousands of elderly people use, to the exclusion of all other remedies. Trustworthy people like Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert, Millersburg, Ohio, and Mrs. Margaret M. Brown, Springfield, Ohio, say they take it at regular intervals and in that way not only maintain general good health, but that they have not in years felt as good as they do now. You will do well to always have a bottle of it in the house. It is good for all the family.

Anyone wishing to make a trial of this remedy before buying it in the regular way of a druggist at fifty cents or one dollar a large bottle (family size) can have a sample bottle sent to the home free of charge by simply addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 455 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. Your name and address on a postal card will do.

Ever Think of it in This Way?

If you save $100 from your earnings during one year it would equal the amount you would receive annually on an investment of $2,000 at 5 per cent.

To save one must sacrifice. The best things of life are gained in this way. If you want to save a part of your earnings open a savings account with this bank.

The Security Savings Bank

Big Sale For Coming Opera

The advance sale for "The Chocolate Soldier" at the Grand, Wednesday night, opened with a rush at 9 o'clock this morning. While it is gratifyingly large, many of the best seats are still procurable. The company is in Huntington tonight and every seat has been sold, it is said.



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Where he will receive his many patients and others calling to begin treatment. Dr. Snell has opened a permanent branch sanitarium in Portsmouth to consult and furnish at a low cost, effective courses of treatment for chronic diseases of women and men, who have no time or money for expensive sanitariums and hospitals. Dr. Snell has the distinction of having founded and conducts in Cincinnati the Snell Private Sanitarium for years with a success that has spread his reputation as a specialist all over the globe. The fruits of this extensive experience he brings to Portsmouth. He is ably assisted in his beneficial work by some of the best known specialists in the world. Call on above days at his offices: Rooms 311, 312, 313, Masonic Temple, Portsmouth, Ohio.

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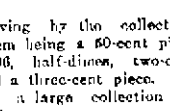
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211 Chillicothe Street.

Council Considers The Street Rwy. Franchise

The proposed new 25-year franchise the street failway company is seeking was again considered at length by city council at its caucus Monday night.

The various phases of the asked-for grant were discussed pro and con by those present. Mayor Fred N. Tynes spoke on the subject for some time, urging favorable action, declaring though that the rights of property owners should be considered and safeguarded. He said the present company had always given good service and the new enterprise was one that meant much to Portsmouth and should receive everybody's support.

The franchise petition was finally referred to the street committee and Member George Shepperd and the solicitor and engineer were added to the committee which will have much correspondence and other perliminaries to occupy it before the question will be ready to present to council for action.

Solicitor Stanley McCall took the opportunity for bringing the question of his own clerk hire before the caucus inasmuch as Members Osborn and Sheppered remained firm in their opposition. It appears the two councilmen were advocating a plan of abolishing the position of stenographer to the solicitor and instead creating an office of city stenographer to do clerical work for the various departments.

Mr. McCall addressed council in his own behalf. He said he was entitled to the services of a stenographer from the standpoint of justice and equity. The city has an ordinance providing its solicitor with a stenographer at $40 per month. It did not provide the solicitor with office room though, and he said he was obliged to pay his own office rent, telephone bills, etc. Then, too, there was much important litigation coming, such as bond ordinances, the proposed water works plant, the Kendall avenue subway, proposed Gallia pike improvement, etc., and it was no more than fair that inasmuch as these all require the utmost accuracy, that he should have clerical assistance. He had received letters from seven different cities of the same size as Portsmouth, and in all, the solicitors are better paid than is he and provided with stenographers besides.

Member John Moeller feeling convinced that the solicitor merited the help asked for agreed with the three Democratic members, Messrs. Cook, Gergens and Schmank to allow him a stenographer. Member Gulker was not present at the caucus.

Davidson and Kabnar, the fun of the evening, Alhambra Minstrels, Jan. 25th.

THOUGHT HE HAD CHURCH ROBBER

August Weber, janitor at the Holy Redeemer church, had rather an amusing experience with one of the new police early Monday morning. August is an early riser, and the copper who had been investigating the cloakroom thefts at Trinity church, catching sight of Mr. Weber crossing through the snow, tracked him to the basement of Father McGuirk's home, where he kindled a fire. When Weber emerged from the basement, the bluecoat confronted him with the remark: "Now I've got you!" but soon tumbled to his mistake and then told the astonished janitor about the robbery that had occurred at the other church a few yards away.

THINK THE OHIO MAY FREEZE OVER

New ice was passing the local wharf all day Tuesday but it was too heavy to permit the ferry boat to go across.

The river remains gorged at Pomeroy and several other places above.

The Ohio is falling at all points and at the local wharf only measured 8 feet this afternoon.

If the weather continues so severe and the river continues falling there will be a frozen Ohio for the skaters to enjoy in another day or two.

The Queen City advertises that she will leave Pittsburg on Feb. 10 at 1 p. m. for New Orleans.

Judge Beatty Will Finish That Speech

Judge T. C. Beatty will be one of the principal speakers at the bean dinner and campfire to be given next Saturday at Rarden, under the auspices of the G. A. R. post of that town. The speech that the Judge will make is one that he started to deliver at a similar gathering down at Rarden more than a year ago. He had just fairly got commenced on his discourse, when a storm broke and rain came down in huge gobs, driving the audience to cover. Until now he has never had an opportunity to finish that speech, but never overlooking any good bets, he is going back and spend the day with the grizzled veterans.

PRICES ARE GOING HIGHER

The price of foodstuffs is rising with the mercury judging from reports that reached local commission men Tuesday.

Oysters have advanced from $1 to $1.25 per gallon and the price of creamery butter has increased 4 cents per pound. It is now 43 cents per pound wholesale and it will be retailing at 50 cents per pound before the end of the week.

Revival Is Getting In Running Order

Despite the frigidity of the atmosphere, a fair-sized crowd attended the revival services at the First Christian church Monday evening, Rev. Brooks, the pastor, delivering a strong sermon upon the subject, "Saving a Soul From Death." He announced at the close of his sermon that tonight his subject would be "The First Gospel Sermon," based upon the Book of Acts.

Rev. Brooks then made the following announcements:

Section No. 1 of the Woman's Union met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Banner, 22 West Eleventh street; section No. 3 will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Barber, 115 East Twelfth street; section No. 4 will meet on Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, with Miss Lucy Berline, 416 East Seventh street.

The First Christian church Bible school recently purchased a large supply of a remarkable edition of the latest revision of the New Testament, which will be sold by Miss Susie Fannin, at the low price of 10 cents each.

After the services tonight there will be a meeting of precinct managers and workers. Let all who assisted in taking a church census be present, as there is something of importance to come up at the meeting.

WAS HIT BY WATCHMAN

William Stewart, a worker at the steel plant, is nursing a discolored eye today, the result of running into a club in the hands of the night watchman at the steel plant Monday evening.

The employes of the steel plant wear badges to show that they are employed there, but Stewart is said to not have had one, and when the night watchman called his attention to the fact, he attempted to pass on into work. The watchman tried to put Stewart out, and in the mix-up Stewart received a black eye.

HAIR QUICKLY STOPS FALLING

Itching Scalp Vanishes Overnight and Dandruff is Abolished

There is one hair tonic that you can put your faith in and that is PARISIAN SAGE.

It stops falling hair, or money back.

Drives out dandruff, or money back.

Stops itching scalp, or money back.

And Wurster Bros., of Portsmouth, Ohio, the druggists you know so well are the men who sell PARISIAN SAGE is a splendid hair dressing; it is so daintily perfumed and refreshing that it makes the scalp feel fine the minute you apply it. It is used daily by thousands of clever women who realize that PARISIAN SAGE keeps their hair lustrous and fascinating. If you have hair troubles get PARISIAN SAGE today at Wurster Bros.' and druggists everywhere. Large bottle 50 cents.

REV. ATKINSON WILL SPEAK

Rev. [illegible] W. Atkinson, of Manly church, went to Gallia [illegible] to make several addresses before the election of the wet and dry contest, which will be held Thursday. Rev. Atkinson is well known in Gallia county and has been in great demand [illegible] by the dry forces.

Will Move Back.

Frank Russell, bartender at Julius Achnast's cafe, returned Monday from a visit to his family in Huntington, W. Va. His 18-months-old baby son has been very ill the past few days. Frank expects to move his family back there in the spring.

RECORD OF A GREAT MEDICINE

Doctors Could Not Help Mrs. Templeton—Regained Health through Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound.

Hooper, Nebraska.—"I am very glad to tell how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has helped me. For five years I suffered from female troubles so I was scarcely able to [illegible]. I took doctors' medicines and local treatment but was not helped. I had such awful bearing down pains and my back was so weak I could hardly walk and could not [illegible]. I often had [illegible] nights [illegible] and my friends [illegible] I could not live long. At my request my husband got me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I commenced to use it. By the time I had taken the [illegible] bottle my health had returned [illegible] and I was a [illegible] well woman. After [illegible] three weeks [illegible] I did all the work [illegible] with no signs of my old trouble returning. Many have taken your medicine after seeing what it did for me. I would not take $1000 and be where I was. You have my permission to use my name in [illegible]." Mrs. [illegible] Templeton, Hooper, Nebraska.



The Pinkham [illegible] has [illegible]. It is an established fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored health to thousands of suffering women. Why don't you try it if you need such a medicine?

FIVE BELOW ON TUESDAY

The cold wave continues unabated, the minimum temperature this morning being 5 below zero, according to Weather Observer Dr. Harry Schirrmann.

In various parts of the county it went as low as 14 below, two degrees colder than last Saturday.

Monday night was an extremely cold night, as a biting wind swept the city and raged for several hours. Tuesday morning dawned bright and sunshiny and the cold was not felt as much as last night, as the wind had subsided.

It begins to look like we are in for a good old fashioned winter, plenty of zero weather and lots of snow.

Ex-Mayor Glad To Be Back At Home

Ex-Mayor H. C. Searcy, now a resident of Cleveland, O., arrived in Portsmouth Tuesday noon, glad once more to be with the people of the Peerless City. He states that all Cleveland citizens envied him when it was announced that he was going to Portsmouth. Up near the lake, where the wind cuts like a knife, and where the lake breezes make a fellow's cheeks fairly crack open, they think that Portsmouth is so near the equator that they don't have real winter down this way, and that swallows build their nests as early as January 1.

Mr. Searcy will remain here for possibly one week. He says he and his family are happily domiciled at 1911 East 71st street, only one square off Euclid avenue, said to be one of the prettiest streets in the world. The Searcy home is but a square from the Cleveland University, where Vernon Searcy, only son of the family, is enrolled as a student. It is likely, Mr. Searcy said, that he would move his family to Linwood, a suburb of Cleveland, next spring.

Dismissed From Hospital.

Mrs. Margaret Rickey, of Harrisonville, was Sunday discharged from the Hempstead hospital, where she was recently admitted for medical treatment.

REVIVAL IS FRUITFUL

The protracted meeting at the German Methodist church continues unabated, despite the severity of the weather. One conversion was reported, Monday evening, following a strong sermon by the pastor, Rev. Bowman, on the "Fate of Lot's Wife."

It was announced at the close of the meeting that Rev. Hughes, pastor of Bigelow Methodist church, would preach for the congregation on Thursday evening. The meetings will continue the balance of this week.

Have Opened A Grocery

R. O. Brady and son, who recently returned from California, have opened a grocery store in their old stand on Summit street. They have purchased the team of ponies owned by Shoemaker Bros., hardware dealers on Gallia street. Messrs. Shoemaker will buy a delivery truck in early spring. They recently purchased a fine touring car from Walter A. Patterson, auto dealer of East Gallia St.

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Some women complain that they periodically suffer from dull and heavy feelings, or dizziness in the head, nervousness, pain and bearing-down feelings which should not occur to the normal healthy woman. But most every woman is subject to these pains at some time in her life, due to abnormal conditions in life, such as corsets, over-taxed strength, bad air, poor or improper food, wet feet, sluggish liver, etc. A regulator and female tonic made from native medicinal roots with pure glycerin, and without the use of alcohol, called

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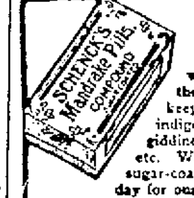


MRS. MARTIN.

MRS. DORA M. MARTIN, of Auburn, Nebr., Route 1, Box 54, says: "I thought I would write you in regard to what your medicines have done for me. I have used them for thirty years for female trouble and general weakness with the very best result, and they have saved me hundreds of dollars in doctors' bills. I buy the 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' and take them together. I never was disappointed in your remedies and take pleasure in recommending them to any suffering lady. I am now almost fifty years old; at forty-five I took your medicines, both kinds, and I passed that period very easily and left me fat and healthy. I feel like a young girl.

"If any lady cares to write me, I will gladly tell her more about the good work of your medicine."

DR. PIERCE'S GREAT FAMILY DOCTOR BOOK, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, newly revised up-to-date edition—of 1008 pages, answers hosts of delicate questions which every woman, single or married, ought to know. Sent *free* in cloth binding to any address on receipt of 31 one-cent stamps, to cover cost of wrapping and mailing only.



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These are the pills that kept your grandparents well and helped largely to make your parents the wholesome, healthy folks they are. They will keep you free from biliousness, liver complaint, indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, sick headache, giddiness, malaria, heartburn, flatulence, jaundice, etc. Wholly vegetable—absolutely harmless—plain or sugar-coated—sold everywhere—25c. Send a postal today for our free book and prescribe for yourself.

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LADIES' WOOL AND COTTON SKIRTS DRY CLEANED 50 CENTS EACH THIS WEEK.

Regular price 75 cents to $1.50.

This coupon must be brought or sent with skirt to get the special low price.

50 CENT SKIRT COUPON

This coupon accompanying one Cotton or Wool Skirt entitles bearer or sender to have skirt dry cleaned for 50 cents. Regular price 75c to $1.50. Offer good for this week only.

SEND YOUR COUPON AND SKIRT TODAY.

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Have You A Want?---Fill It With A Times Want.

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Now is your chance to obtain the greatest bargains in stylish, up-to-date millinery we have ever sold. Values and costs are not taken into any consideration whatever as everything must go and go in a hurry.

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Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hats that you will want to wear.

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BEFORE AND AFTER



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HEMPSTEAD ACADEMY ENJOYED A BANQUET

Covers were laid for twenty-three members of the Hempstead Academy, who sat down to their annual banquet at the Washington Hotel Monday evening. As usual, it was an elegant affair, and was hugely enjoyed.

The menu was served in six courses, and it was dispatched with keen zest, as Dr. Flint Kline remarked that "one's appetite is sharpened by the frostiness of the air."

"Well, we ought to be able to eat the table linen and the silverware, if frost accentuates the appetite, as we have certainly had some frost," said Dr. Jordan, smilingly.

Dr. Flint Kline was master of ceremonies and is perfectly at home in the role of toastmaster. He succeeded Dr. J. D. Jordan, the retiring president. All the physicians were called on for short talks and responded cleverly and appropriately, the postprandial part of the meeting being a gratifying feature.

Dr. Charles W. Wendelken, the new president, was the first guest called upon for a talk. He went into the various phases of the institution, its aim, the headway being made and the plans for the future in a lucid and convincing manner. It is no small honor for a man so young as Dr. Wendelken to preside over such a body of distinguished and intelligent physicians, and he expressed his great appreciation. He is enthusiastic about the work, and it is admitted right now that under his guidance the society is going to have an unusually prosperous year.

Dr. S. P. Felter, secretary of the organization, was the next speaker. In his usual congenial and affable manner he gave the members some inside facts concerning the work done during the past year. He outlined his work for 1912, and sat down amid a burst of applause.

Each speaker referred to the proposition to build a home for those consumptively-inclined. The slogan was "Get a Tubercular Hospital for Portsmouth in 1912." The urgent need of an institution of this character, how it would lessen and mitigate against the disease being communicated, was dwelt upon explicitly and fearlessly by the speakers. Every effort is going to be put forth to have this plan carried out this year. Improvements at Hempstead hospital were discussed and it is likely in the near future the society will recommend an addition be added to this worthy institution.

Death had robbed the society of two of its oldest and most valued members during the past year in the persons of Dr. George W. Osborne of the West Side and Dr. J. B. Warwick of Lucasville. They were paid touching tributes by the speakers, who feelingly recalled the many noble and charitable deeds performed in their long and useful careers.

Dr. W. A. Quinn, a new physician, who came here from Maryland, was present and made a neat little speech. He has affiliated with the organization. Before the ashes were flicked off the last cigar, some splendid stories were told and the banquet was one of the most enjoyable ever held by the society.

Dr. Flint Kline made an ideal toastmaster and injected a whole lot of life and vim into the guests, and for one evening the physicians forgot there was such a thing as quinine or calomel in the medical category. It was an evening given to social intercourse, jollity and reminiscences.

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COLD KEEPS CHILDREN AT HOME

Only a few of the school children are being kept at home owing to the extreme cold weather. The attendance is not quite normal, but Supt. Appel stated to the Times that the attendance is as high as could be expected during the cold weather.

Monday the Campbell street school was closed, owing to the furnace being out of repair, but it was fixed Monday afternoon and a fire at once built, which made the building comfortable for the children when school began Tuesday morning.

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OLD MILL MAN AT STATION

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PAY ROLL AT ROANOKE

The Roanoke World says:

"The Norfolk & Western shop workers were paid off Monday afternoon. The pay roll amounted to $126,000."

Senator Bagby Is Heard From

Senator Thomas Bagby, a brother of Walter Bagby of this city, who is a member of the legislature from the Mason-Lewis district of Kentucky has been heard from. The senator has introduced a bill at Frankfort to abolish State Revenue agents and providing for county revenue agents.

Mrs. Leppin Better.

Fred Leppin arrived here from Cincinnati Monday to look after some business affairs. He reports his wife, who underwent several surgical operations, as slightly improving.

Extra In Charge.

Frank Cook, an extra engineer, was in charge of the B. & O. S.-W. accommodation train in place of Engineer Joe Knoppe, Monday.

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Thomas Reed, aged 37, well-known former shoeworker, and for the past few years employed as an engine inspector at the N. & W. Terminals, narrowly escaped death in an accident at the round house, Monday evening.

Reed, in some unknown manner, fell into one of the 15-foot drop pits used for repairing passenger engines and would have drowned in the snow water at the bottom but for the timely discovery of his plight by William Cole, a carpenter. Cole was attracted by the sight of a torch, such as Reed always carried, falling into the pit. Rushing up he found a man lying in a heap at the bottom, with face downward and bleeding from several scalp wounds. That was about 7 o'clock, or just an hour after Reed had reported for duty. He was lifted from the pit and rushed to the emergency hospital at the B. R. Y. M. C. A., where company surgeons attended him.

Two hours later Mr. Reed was removed to Hempstead hospital and was still in a comatose state. It was found he had suffered concussion of the brain, though regarded not necessarily fatal. He was reported still in a stupor Tuesday morning, but it was said had rested well in the after-part of the night and was apparently a little improved.

Mr. Reed is married and has three children, two boys and a girl, whose ages range from 5 to 10 years. The family resides at No. 409 East Eighth street. Mrs. Reed, before her marriage, was Miss Maggie Furlong, of Ironton. The injured man for many years worked in local shoe factories, but when his health began failing him, took up railroad work. Misses Mary Ellen and Sallie Reed, of West Ninth street, are his sisters.

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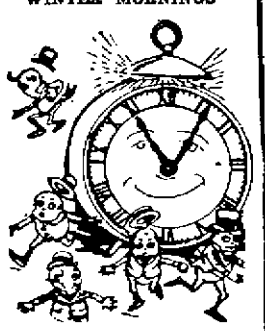
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Boxing | DOINGS OF AMATEURS

Griffith's Way To Handle Outlaws

Washington, Jan. 16.—Any member of the Nationals who expects to get publicity for failure to sign the contract sent him by Manager Griffith will have to break into print himself, for no such information will be given out by the local manager.

In this morning's mail there were two unsigned contracts, with appealing letters attached, regarding which Griffith refused to give any information. Griffith contends that it is not up to him to make public any trouble he may have signing his players.

If the players want the public to be familiar with their affairs that is none of Griffith's concern, but he stated emphatically this morning that he did not propose to give out the names of players who have not signed, although willing to tell the names of those who send in their signed contracts.

"I don't believe that ball players should be given a lot of notoriety simply because they are not satisfied with their contracts," said he. "If they want to break into print, all well and good, but I will have nothing to say."

The fact that there are several disgruntled players on the team comes as a surprise. It was naturally thought that inasmuch as there were no particularly brilliant performances here last season, and as every man among the season's material was well paid, there would be no trouble lining up the men for this season. But such does not seem to be the case, and the chances are that there will be a hold-out or two on the local list by the time the team gets ready to start South. Manager Griffith, however, is mum as an oyster on the subject and refuses to express any sort of opinion on the matter.

"Mysterious Billy" Can Still Take Punishment

Portland, Ore., Jan. 15.—"Mysterious" Billy Smith, former welterweight champion of the world, has added one more victory to his already long list, winning this time the biggest and most important victory of his life.

It wasn't in a 24-foot ring this time, with ready seconds, a gong to save him and a referee to see the rules were obeyed.

It was with grim death, spelled with a capital D, if you please, and it took just three days to know whether the grim reaper or the mysterious one had conquered.

A few days ago, in "Billy's" home, here, Smith was shot down by the second husband of his former wife. His name was Albert B. Loomis, a steamboat captain. Smith and Mrs. Loomis were walking along the street when Loomis saw them. A revolver with four empty chambers, Billy in the hospital with four holes in him and the reaper standing near told the story of the meeting.

"Billy can't live," was the verdict.

"Te he-a-double q I can't," said Bill.

And Bill won.

For three days they watched the battle. Four bullet holes will put nearly anyone out of commission, but the former champion wasn't made of that kind of mettle.

At the end of three days Bill won.

"Marvelous, wonderful," was the comment.

"Look who I am," said Bill.

Billy is still in the hospital. He will be out in a short while, well and happy, while Loomis must stand trial for murderous assault.

The mysterious one doesn't care whether Loomis is punished or not. For there's a little pathos in the story and Billy wants his former bride back again.

And from the present outlook, weddin bells will ring again for Bill.

Fohl Has Helped The Columbus Team

Columbus, O., Jan. 16.—Lee Fohl, under whose clever management three baseball teams in consecutive years have won league championships, came to Columbus yesterday and will remain over today before returning to his home in Pittsburg. He came to talk over with President Schoenborn and Secretary Quinn plans for the Akron club of the Central league.

Fohl has been of great service to the Columbus company. In 1909 he put Lima home first in the Ohio State league and had a great deal to do with the development of George Kaler. In 1910 he was transferred to Akron and worked "Red" Nelson there so well that the erratic pitcher was made saleable to the St. Louis Americans.

Last year the Akron team successfully defended the championship honors won the season before. In addition, Shortstop Gerber was trained for a thorough trial as a Senator. First Baseman Miller and Pitcher Brown were disposed of to St. Louis and Outfielder Irving did so well that Pittsburg begged to purchase him.

When Akron along with three other towns of the old Ohio Penn league were entered in the Central league, there was no delay about making Fohl the team chief. He may find the competition hotter than usual, but rivals must figure him as a dangerous opponent.

Ball Player Was Advised To Stick to Acres and Hogs

There are ball players each year who balk on signing the contracts tendered them by league clubs. It so happens that every now and then one of the wise gents meets with a severe setback.

Bobby Quinn, secretary of the Columbus club of the American Association, tells a story about a youngster who refused to sign the contract tendered him. He informed the club officials that inasmuch as he had married and was working 120 acres of land, owned 50 hogs and considerable other stock, he could not see his way clear to accept such a meager salary. He allowed that if $20 per month additional was added to the terms of the contract he might consider playing ball.

Quinn's reply was curt and to the point. "Quit baseball, young man," he wrote; "any one with the bright future as a farmer before him that you have would be foolish indeed to play baseball. I wish you success."

The signed contract of the former ball player, and at the original figures, was received by the Columbus club a few days later.

Stars Fail On Stage

Baseball men do a lot of worrying over so-called evils which time would cure without any help in the way of legislation.

The club owners were much disturbed two years ago because so many players were accepting stage engagements. There was no objection on the part of the magnates to the players picking up extra money in the off season, but it was feared that the [illegible] and the [illegible] of the stage [illegible] would prove [illegible].

Rules and regulations were adopted to prevent players from accepting engagements without the consent of their clubs. This legislation was ineffective because the stars of the team had [illegible] and only the stars were wanted by the theatrical promoters.

The club owners are not worrying now about the players' invasion of theatrical territory. The public has demonstrated that it wants to see the players only in the good old summer time and on the diamond and, therefore, there [illegible].

The experience of Mathewson, Meyers, Mike Donlin, Ty Cobb, Marquard, Becker, [illegible], Johnny Evers, and Joe Tinker will [illegible] other baseball stars from attempting a stage career.

In this connection Hans Wagner [illegible] of baseball players. When the stage craze was [illegible] Wagner was offered [illegible] that were [illegible] any other player, but he turned down every offer [illegible] strictly to baseball.

Treasurer Charles Williams of the [illegible] Johnny Evers of the Cubs the [illegible] fellow I ever saw the first season he came to Chicago. He [illegible] his mouth. Now you couldn't keep it closed with a club."

PIRATE PRESIDENT WOULD NOT TAKE WHEELING CLUB AS A GIFT, SO DREYFUSS SAYS.

Pittsburg, Jan. 15.—A report came from Wheeling that President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburg team was dickering for the purchase of the Wheeling Central league club from H. P. Perkins and W. W. Irwin, the present owners, and that the Pirate owner would visit Stogie town tomorrow to close up the deal, his intention being to use the West Virginia club as a Pirate farm.

When Mr. Dreyfuss was asked about the rumor he made haste to deny it with considerable vigor.

"Buy the Wheeling team?" he repeated. "Well, I guess not! Why, I would not take that club as a gift even if they were to make a present of $10,000 on the side for doing so."

That Billiard Game—
Joe wins in a blaze of glory

"Shades of Jake Schaefer!" "Bring on your Willie Hoppe!" "I'll eat em alive"—the musings of one Joseph T. Micklethwait, attorney-at-law, candidate for prosecuting attorney, ex-chairman of the Republican executive committee, member of the Masonic club and all-around good fellow—the conqueror at billiards of one Attorney Mark A. Crawford.

You had to be at the Masonic club, Monday evening to get value received out of the above, for it was there that Joseph T. achieved his wonderful victory, humiliated Mr. Crawford in a 50-point game of billiards by the score of 50 to 33.

And what a victory it was!

These two barristers have been playing billiards for the past five years—true, they are not much better than when they started, but they go to it as though the presidency of China depended upon the outcome. Until Monday evening, Mr. Crawford was sanguine that he had the edge—Joe, as serene as a college professor, was just as sure that he had it all over Mark. When the smoke of battle cleared away, Joseph T. was the center of attraction—like a lump of sugar in fly time. The various members of the club crowded around him, tramped on his toes and showered him with congratulations.

On the other hand Mark A. was no where to be found. Waiting only long enough to tender his congratulations, he buttoned up his ulster, wrapped his muffler around his ears and faced the hard cruel world, friendless, chilly, sad and sure—Joe crowing like a big black Langshang as Mark A. took his departure.

It was a wonderful game—for Joe and Mark! Wonderful in more ways than one! In the first place it lasted only 213 innings, when Managers Orville Sprague and George Wilhelm thought it would not be over until the wee small hours of the morning.

For some time Micklethwait and Crawford had been heralding among their friends that each had the other's goat when it came to tickling the ivories. Finally Orville Sprague took the big heavyweight under his protecting wing, while George Wilhelm undertook the management of the tall barrister. The former hurled a sarcastic challenge the latter accepted it in the most caustic manner. The date was set, friends notified and the deed was done last night, while one hundred members of the club, howling like so many Comanche Indians danced around the table, first rooting for one and then the other.

It was 7:30 when the game began, with Frank Kehoe filling the role of referee and "A Cat" Dunbar holding down the job of cue chalker. "Jibing Jester" Chad Rorr was official inspector, and finding that both contestants had left their guns securely locked in their desks, bade the game to start.

Micklethwait won the bank and missed—he hasn't made the lead off shot since the table was installed. He left the balls at a difficult angle, but Crawford brought the red blood to the cheeks of his supporters when he connected beautifully, and was awarded first blood. Joe then clipped off a double and his rooters rooted with might and cain—Joe bowing like a page in King George's court as he made one most spectacular draw shot.

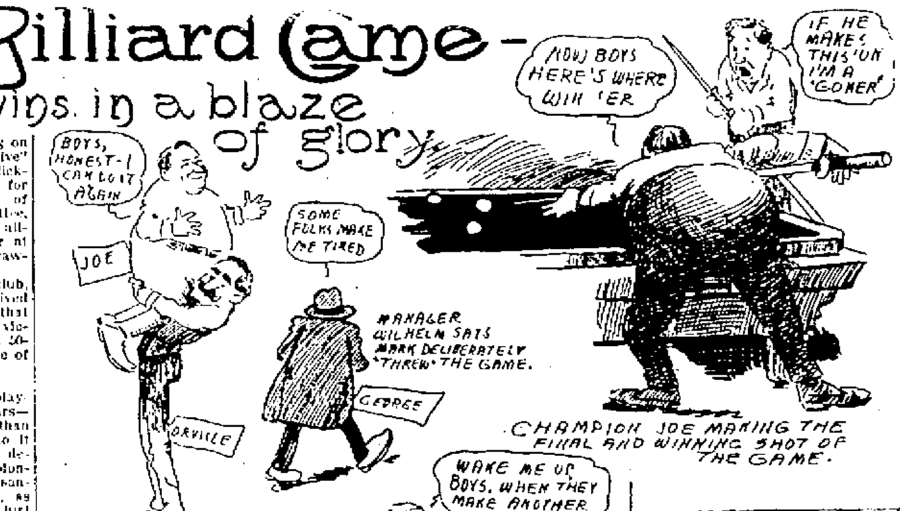
From that time on it seemed as though Joe really had Mark's goat in his stable. He led at the close of the first inning by 10 points. Mark made as much noise as a mummy that was swathed and bandaged 3000 years B. C. His face reminded one of the clean driven snow, while determination was stamped all over his clean cut visage.

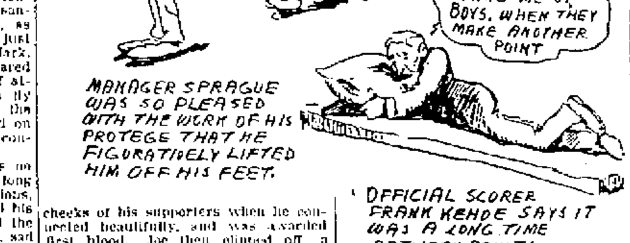
Joe was smiling—he was so chock full of confidence that he fairly chuckled with his toes. He knew he was approaching his triumphant hour. He really surprised himself the way he clicked off the points and once in a while would look up and smile at his adversary like a calf with the bolts. Joe was a farmer once—he understands that expression. Gradually he gained, slowly approaching the end of his string. When he had chalked up 19, Crawford had barely turned 25. Then the latter took up his task, his manager Mr. Wilhelm pulling for dear life. Crawford's rooters, chief among whom was Dr. Frank Spencer, kept yelling encouragement, sanguine that Mark would run 'er out. But he stopped like a frozen water pipe, when he reached 33 and Joe clipped off the necessary 4, giving him the game and converting him into the hero of the hour.

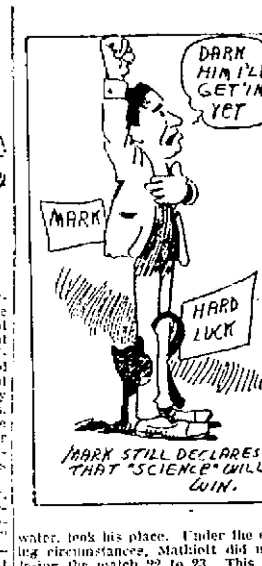
Joe really played a brilliant game—for Joe. Mark declared that he practically gave the rotund attorney the game, leaving him a cinch shot every pop. He did—that's a fact, but as Orville Sprague says, that's part of the game, and simply goes to show that Mark had a whole lot to learn. Be that as it may, it was a humdinger, and after it was all over, Dave Thomas and Prof. J. D. Greveling, who had rooted hard for Joe from start to finish fairly hit the ceiling with their joyfulness. Wade Kennedy did a war dance, while Howard Cadot was so chagrined over Micklethwait's victor that he publically refused to shake the conqueror's clubby hand.

Mark stated to The Times, Tuesday, that he was not satisfied with Micklethwait's victory and he wanted revenge. "Make it read r-e-v-e-n-g-e!" said Mark. "I left him every opening—he left me sewed up to a fret—the next time maybe conditions will be reversed and I'll beat the whey out of him," said Mark as the telephone receiver went up with a bang.

Previous to the main event, "A Cat" Dunbar and Murt Mathiott pulled off a 23 point match, in which the "Cat" came creeping home with the victory. It had been arranged for Dunbar and D. H. Rupert to work out in the preliminary, but the latter, stung to the quick that the club managers should book him with Dunbar, refused to even show up at the appointed hour and Mathiott, who is some pumpkins at pool, but who knows no more about billiards than a mackerel does of fresh water, took his place. Under the existing circumstances, Mathiott did nobly, losing the match 22 to 23. This game was refereed by Wade Kennedy who announced before the contest that he would lay 10 to 1 on "A Cat." The friends of Mathiott declare that the referee gave Dunbar no less than seven points. It should be understood that close ones counted. No chalk was used in this match, and it was really a difficult proposition for Mathiott to bring into play some of his fancy draw shots. Dunbar depends entirely upon caroms and to this is attributed his victory. He had the nerve to challenge Micklethwait to a game of 100 points to be played in relays throughout the coming summer. Joe disdainfully tossed the challenge out the window.







Rucker Is the Best

New York, Jan. 16.—John McGraw, in a fanning bee with some friends today, touted Nap Rucker as the greatest pitcher in the country today. He rates the Georgia boy even higher than the famous Christy Mathewson. Three or four years ago McGraw tried to get Nap. At the time the Giants' manager traded off Roger Bresnahan it was figured that he got $25,000 in ball players for Roger. Of course, the players he got—Raymond, Selee and Murray—never panned out as well as he expected, but, nevertheless, at the time the trade was made these players represented $25,000 cash.

McGraw at the time went to President Ebbets and offered to call all propositions for Bresnahan in favor of Brooklyn if Ebbets would swap Nap for Roger. Ebbets refused, however, and then McGraw went through with the Raymond-Selee-Murray proposition.

Wise ball players say that Rucker last season was better than ever, as he used his head more than he did in other years. Doc Scanlan, who was recently traded to the Phillies, says Rucker has got more stuff than any pitcher he ever saw.

Is Tenney Through?

It appears as if the days of Fred Tenney as a major league baseball player are at an end. He has been deposed as manager of the Braves, and there is no chance for him being picked up by one of the big teams. However, he has a contract calling for $5000 with the Boston National league club, and may be retained as a scout, as he is a good judge of a ball player. Fred has helped many youngsters in their efforts to become prominent, and will have the well-wishes of his numerous friends, no matter what he does. It was with Boston he developed into the first real first baseman the game ever saw, and he made it possible for the other players to further improve on the way the bag should be played.

Manager O'Day of the Cincinnati Reds, says that Umpire Emslie's sight is as keen and accurate as ever. O'Day had Emslie for a partner during two months of last season's schedule and found him an efficient in rendering decisions on the bases as any other man in the league.

Devlin For Mattern

A deal is said to be pending between the New York and Boston Nationals, whereby Arthur Devlin, until recently the regular third sacker of the Giants, will be traded for Pitcher Mattern, the star southpaw of the Rustlers. McGraw has been after Mattern for two or three years. With anything except a tailend club, he would be a big winner. Herzog having made so good at third, Devlin is no longer needed by the Giants.

DIRGE OF WINTER LEAGUE.

By Grantland Rice.

Nothing to write but dope —
Dope that is overripe;
Nothing to scrape but a rope,
Nothing to lift but a pipe.

Nothing to [illegible] but space
[illegible] with the same old lore
[illegible]
[illegible]

Nothing to [illegible] but junk;
Nothing [illegible]
Nothing [illegible] While [illegible] bunk
[illegible] "They don't come back."

Nothing to [illegible] but a dirge
[illegible]
Nothing [illegible] a splurge
[illegible] myself.

It is a [illegible] that Alex McCarthy, the [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] Manager Fred [illegible] Kansas City.

Bobby Byrne [illegible] ball player [illegible] this winter to keep in condition.

More Leagues And Players To Benefit

New York, Jan. 16.—Thomas J. Lynch, president of the National league, declares much good will result when the National and American leagues accept the new national agreement which will be submitted to the two major organizations at the schedule meetings in February.

"It appears to me," said Mr. Lynch, "that baseball, through the medium of this national agreement, is about to enter upon its most prosperous year. About this time every winter some such statement about prosperity and its attainments is always made, but when I say baseball I do not alone mean the major leagues and the larger minor leagues, but all of the organizations in organized baseball.

"Under the new conditions the minor leagues will undoubtedly make more money than they ever made before and the reason for the failure of many in the past will be removed, inasmuch as a scale of salaries to be paid according to the size of the league will be adopted, of which there is a binding clause which makes definite the number of men who can be carried by each club in each league. This will relieve the owners to a great extent of some of the troubles which have beset them for many years.

"The national agreement will be also of benefit to the players themselves. While the minor leagues will not pay as large salaries in some instances as they have in the past, the player will be benefited inasmuch as the boss of the league will be [illegible] and his [illegible] will not be [illegible] as was the Pan-American last season."

All of Barney Dreyfuss' friends hope that Marty O'Toole's bad shoulder is not a chronic trouble, like the injury that spoiled Jack Pfiester's usefulness.

Mike Donlin spent the holidays at New Orleans with his wife, Mabel Hite, the actress.

DIDN'T TRY TO GET IRA'S GOAT.

Prior to the world's series it was loudly asserted by the National league writers that the Giants were going to adopt a campaign of getting the angoras owned by Ira Thomas and Frank Baker. Reference to the scores of the late hostilities will tell how well they succeeded—not. A fan met Thomas at the Hotel Astor during the recent American league meeting and asked the big catcher if any such campaign was actually adopted by the Giants during the series.

"Not that I could see," replied Ira. "Just twice during the series did McGraw speak to me, once in the first game, when Doyle got on. I figured that he would not try to steal until the third ball pitched, consequently I did not signal Bender for a pitchout until then. Bender obeyed instructions and I would have had Doyle a block if I had not thrown low. Then, as McGraw came back to the bench from the third base coaching lines, he remarked sarcastically: 'Huh, had Bender pitchout and then couldn't get him!' I never said a word.

"In the sixth game, I missed another man at second by throwing too high, and again McGraw got in a bit of sarcasm as he passed me. I could not resist that time, though, and although Connie had told me not to pay any attention to McGraw, I did not have to remind him of the fact that the Giants had not run wild on me, as they had threatened. Bill on the whole the Giants treated me mighty fine and I had no kick coming."

Only Two Remain

Of the crop of eight first sackers who played in the Southern league last season, Bill Schwartz of Nashville and Sykes of Atlanta, are the only two who will hold the same jobs this season. None of the rest was considered good enough to hold down the cushion another season.

Crooks from Nebraska league will supplant Johnson at New Orleans, and Johnson played so finely last spring that several big league managers were said to be watching him. McGilvray is still a Birmingham player, but will be traded. Alstrom has replaced Courtney at Memphis, while a youngster will take Pete Lister's place at Chattanooga. Swacina of Mobile and Graham of Montgomery are others to go. Sykes was with Lima in 1908.

ROBINSON MADE STAR PITCHER OUT OF MARQUARD

Just how valuable an experienced catcher is in developing a pitcher was proven by Rube Marquard last season, when he led the pitchers of his league after having been handled all spring by Wilbert Robinson. Under Robinson Marquard became a star. For two years he had been a failure, but after receiving daily instructions from Robinson during the training period Marquard suddenly developed and proved one of the most valuable pitchers last season.

The chances are that Marquard had every bit as much stuff the first day he reported at New York as he showed at any time last season, but he could not win, simply because he did not know what to do with what he possessed. Under Robinson's tuition Marquard learned of the art of pitching, and from a rather ordinary twirler he had jumped into fame in a single season. A capable instructor for young pitchers means much.

Columbias Take 2 From Hansen Five

After taking the first two games with the veriest kind of ease, the Columbias dropped the last one to Hansen's Five at the Play House alleys, Monday evening. The games were witnessed by a large crowd, who were there to keep warm if nothing else, and who distributed their rooting with fairness.

The Columbias started out as though they expected to make a runaway race of the whole affair, Capt. Jim Wanless jumping into the limelight with 209, and having valiant assistance from all his other players. The team totalled 882, which is some score on a cold wintry night. The Hansen five, however, was right behind them and had Capt. Smith been running true to form a different tale might have been told.

In the second game the furniture boys fell away to nothing, while the Columbias, while a little shy, won out by over one hundred pins. [illegible] last game started and [illegible] teams rolled poorly, the furniture contingent clipped off a sufficient [illegible] walked off with the game by [illegible] 50 pins. The scores:

Columbias.	1	2	3
Dodge	181	172	[illegible]
Wanless	209	172	[illegible]
Wilhelm	167	186	[illegible]
Malavazos	175	176	[illegible]
Wilson	149	131	[illegible]
Total	882	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hansen's Five.	1	2	3
Smith	159	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brisker	168	152	[illegible]
Distel	178	[illegible]	[illegible]
Knittle	158	85	141
Brennen	159	[illegible]	[illegible]
Totals	822	[illegible]	[illegible]

Claims They'll Soon Hail Barry, Greatest

"Give him two years more and everybody in the country will say he's the best shortstop in the business."

"Him" is John Joseph Barry, the famous short patcher of the world's champions. The quotation marks bounding the phrases are due to the fact that Billy Murray, former manager of the Phillies, and now scout for the Pittsburg team, is the author of the statement.

Murray, discussing matters in general, took up the matters of the shortstops. It was while he was talking about this species of infielder that he remarked about the ability of Barry as a shortstop.

"You look that infield over," he said, "and you'll find that Barry is the key to the whole business. That may seem funny to a lot of people, but that's my opinion. He's always doing something, always in front of the ball, and he does the right thing at the right time.

"He covers as much ground as any shortstop in the business. He can come up on the ball, he can go back on the ball; he takes them on either side, and he has as fine a whip as any player in the business.

"He's always pulling something, too, And he always does it at the right time, just when it's needed and just when it is the only thing to do. That's what I like about Barry—he always does the one thing that is needed when it is needed.

"Take him at the bat. He may not hit more than .250 for a season, but he puts that .250 average to more good for his club than half the .300 hitters. Take a tight game when somebody is needed in the pinch. Who's there? Barry, sure as you live. You know the Athletics are a grand ball team, a wonderful ball team.

"Well, I think that Barry is the best man on the team. I know people may not agree with me, but that's my opinion. He's the best man on the team.

"Two years ago people didn't realize he was alive, did they? No, they did not. Last year they began to see what a wonder he was. Well, in two years everybody will be touting him as the greatest shortstop in the business."

Zeke Wrigley May Manage Lima Team

Lima, O., Jan. 16.—Local fans would like to see Zeke Wrigley in Lima as manager of the Ohio State league team the coming season, since the announcement by the directors of the Chillicothe baseball team that Wrigley would be succeeded in that city by James Ryan. Wrigley is a favorite here and it is believed that he would pilot a team to a good position in the coming race.

Wrigley played second base for the Columbus team for a number of years and he enjoys the confidence and respect of the Senator management. In the event that they decide to continue a team in Lima the coming year it is believed that Wrigley would receive favorable consideration, if he should apply for the berth of manager.

Wrigley was the best fielding second baseman in the Ohio State league last year. He seemed to get along well with the men working for him and they were always in shape to play ball, although Wrigley is not a strict disciplinarian. Should local men decide to back the Lima team this year, Wrigley would be given preference for the managerial job.

HUGHEY JENNINGS DECLARES CLUBS IN AMERICAN ARE STRONGER THIS YEAR

By Hugh Jennings.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 16.—In discussing the American league race, nine out of ten men will say that the Athletics will walk away with the pennants in 1912.

It is true that team should be a favorite on account of having won the pennant during the past two years, but I am not willing to concede the pennant to any team until after the race is over.

Detroit will surely be as strong in 1912 as it was in 1911. New York should be stronger; the same is true of Chicago, Cleveland and Boston, and these facts will make it harder sledding for the Athletics.

As to how the teams will finish, that is impossible to state. It is out of the question to even try to forecast the result.

I am almost entirely recovered from the effects of my accident and expect to be O. K. by Feb. 1.

McGRAW MAY SIGN CHEF TO HELP GIANTS WIN NATIONAL PENNANT

New York, Jan. 16.—With five weeks on his hands before beginning another chase for the pennant, Manager McGraw of the Giants, is going to spend the time in an exhaustive study of diet.

To get right down to cases, McGraw is of the opinion that diet plays a most important part in the upbuilding of an athlete. An ordinary ball player who is fed well and systematically, in his opinion, is of as much value to a club as a star who can bunt and run bases well at times, but gets off his stride from eating mince pie in the middle of the afternoon.

"I am thinking seriously of a plan," said the Giants' manager, "by which I can get an expert trainer to take direct supervision of the preparation of all food for the players during the training trip. That has been found to be the most successful manner of handling athletes in other lines, and I think it would just as aptly apply to baseball. It is very difficult to get good food in abundance in a small Texas town, but if we could see that what we get was properly prepared so as to give the players strength it would be a big help toward winning the pennant."

So seriously has McGraw taken up this idea of diet that he is studying the subject several hours every day. He is trying to ascertain just what foods give the most strength and at the same time be able to select food that can be secured in Texas.

In this connection it might be of interest to know that McGraw, Mathewson and Wilbert Robinson are of the opinion that the hurried gulping down of food just prior to the second game with the Athletics last fall had much to do with the loss of that game.

The train that carried the Giants to Philadelphia that day was more than an hour late. The players consequently had to hurriedly bolt their food and get to the grounds. They ate pie and other things that could be served quickly and this played havoc with their stomachs, making them [illegible] sluggish. Whether that eating of pie had anything to do with the loss of that game or not McGraw took no more chances, and for the following games he took his team over the night before.

There is no doubt that eating is a serious question for a ball player at Marlin in the spring. The Giants at one time had a most promising young pitcher named Holmes, who literally ate himself out of the league for want of supervision as to the quality of food and the amount that he should consume.

"Yes," said Matty, who agrees with McGraw about the study of [illegible], "I believe that if as much time was spent on seeing that the players eat right as is spent in bunting practice the team would be in much better shape when it reached New York. I can't say that I am an expert on dietetics, but you can take it from me that the players will vote solidly for a good system of eats at Marlin."

Manager Roger Bresnahan of the Cardinals, has engaged still another [illegible] in the person of Bill Armour, late boss of the Toledo club, of the American Association.

GEE! HAW BUCK! MORE OX DRIVERS APPEARING

And still they come!

Ox-drivers! This town seems to be inhabited principally by ox-drivers, or former ox-drivers, judging by the number of gentlemen who claim their names should be handed down to fame in that connection. Frank J. Beaumont, whom no one suspected of having any education, claims to have been the tallest ox-driver between the Dam-rin Hill and White Oak. Martin Cook, the East End grocer, was a good one, and Prof. S. D. Eckhart, a star driver himself, says J. Ed. Shamp was as good on the job as he is at real estate, and that is saying considerable. Will McCurdy, of Wheelersburg, says none of the fellows can bent him at taming oxen, and Ed Rickey, assistant superintendent of the Excelsior shoe factory, is real "sore" because his ability to drive 'em was questioned. Ed avers he hauled the logs to build "Hosstown" back in the early part of last century. Emory Rickey, the contractor, says he had all the other fellows out in Madison township "skinned" when it came to driving oxen, and Attorney N. B. Gilliland says he was "right at home" on that job. They do say that Mr. Frank L. Marting, Judge Harry Ball, H. B. Adams, W. K. Dupre, Capt. James Smith, Capt. A. J. Finney, D. W. Gustin and several other distinguished gentlemen learned the trade when they were young.

"Jim" Delph, foreman of Kuitzel's bakery, says he has a "shine" on the others. He drove an ox-team hitched to an army wagon over in the Philippines, while serving in Uncle Sam's army. Jim was not a regular, but when the train "stalled" he happened to be the only one in the detachment doing guard duty who could talk ox lingo in Filipino, and so helped out the regular drivers.

Jim Finney brags about his former ability in that line, and Jack Blood, Anderson's oil expert, tells of the finest ox team that ever wore harness. That lets Jack out. Even a city dude knows you don't put on harness on an ox! Then there's Capt. Billy Williams, who used to wear the laurel as an ox-driver down Friendship way before he moved to town and left Albert Pyle in his glory.

Ex-County Auditor Milt Stimmel was another good one, as was Capt. "Dad" Rodgers, the second-hand furniture man. Charley Rice, ex-county recorder, was for years the best driver on Long Run—and the woods are full of good drivers over there. John Sommers, also formerly of Long Run, disputes Rice's claim. And then, besides all those real, genuine drivers, there are a whole lot of fellows like Dr. Rike, Tom Kennard, Merle Hood, Ed. Trimmer, Jim Pfeifer, Park Mills, Wilbur Slattery and "Doc" Donahue who are making claims that they are eligible to join the association. Genuine ox-drivers only are eligible. Listen to this letter from H. V. Speelman, of the U. S. Treasury office in Cincinnati, a former Portsmouth newspaper man:

"From the public press I learn of an Ox-Drivers' Association, with headquarters in Portsmouth, with such fellows as John Van Gordon, Harry Sickles, Jim Barnett and Jim Spencer as leading members. I would not for a moment think of speaking disparagingly of any of the gentlemen named, but I have serious doubts as to the qualifications of at least some of them for membership in such an exclusive organization. Maybe they "broke in" a pair of calves in their early years, but did they ever drive six yoke of oxen hitched to an old-fashioned load of charcoal? I would like to join the ox-drivers' club, but I am so proud of the eligibility that I possess in that direction that I am anxious to know of the real rights of my associates before I send in my application. I want you to know that I am an ox-driver that is an ox-driver.

H. V. SPEELMAN."

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS.

[By Associated Press.]

New York, Jan., 16—The last sale of stocks today was:

Amalgamated Copper, 65½.
American Beet Sugar, 57.
American Sugar Refining, 115.
Baltimore & Ohio, 104½.
Chesapeake & Ohio, 72¾.
Illinois Central, 140.
Louisville & Nashville, 155.
New York Central, 107½.
Norfolk & Western, 109¼.
Pennsylvania, 123½.
United States Steel, 66¾.
United States Steel, Preferred, 110⅝.
Western Union, 83⅛.

GRAIN MARKET. OPENING.

Chicago, Ill., Jan., 16—Wheat: Jan., none; May, 99⅞ to 99½ and ⅝; July, 94⅝ to 94½.

Corn: Jan., none; May, 64⅞ to 64¾ and ⅞; July, 64⅛; Sept., 65¼.

Oats: Jan., none; May, 49¼ to 49¼; July, 44⅝.

CLOSE.

Wheat: Jan., none; May, 99⅝; July, 94⅝; Sept., 93.

Corn: Jan., none; May, 64⅞ to July, 65¼; Sept., 62½.

Oats: Jan., 49¼; May, 49½; July, 45; Sept., 40⅝.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Ill., Jan., 16—Hogs: receipts, 32,000 head; market, quiet; mixed, $6.05 to $6.45; light, $5.85 to $6.30; pigs, $4.50 to $5.00.

Cattle: receipts, 9,000 head; market, steady; beeves, $4.50 to $8.60; cows and heifers, $4.80; stockers and feeders, $2.10 to $8.10; calves, $6.70 to $10.00.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 20,000 head; market, $3.35 to $4.90; natives, $4.00 to $5.00; lambs, $4.80 to $6.00.

Pittsburg, Jan., 16—Cattle: supply, light; market, weak; choice, $7.65 to $8.00; prime, $6.75 to $7.25; common, $5.25 to $6.60; veal calves, $9.50 to $10.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, fair; market, slow; prime wethers, $4.70 to $4.90; good mixed, $4.00 to $4.25; fair mixed, $3.75 to $4.00; lambs, $4.00 to $6.25; spring lambs, $4.00 to $7.25.

Hogs: receipts, 25 double deck; market, light; prime wethers, $6.45 to $6.50; medium, $6.45; heavy yorkers, $6.40 to $6.45; light yorkers, $6.20 to $6.25; pigs, $6.00 to $6.15.

THEATRICAL.

Good Bill At Sun.

It is not handling the truth carelessly to say that the best dog act that ever played Portsmouth is at the Sun theatre for the first half. Intelligent, remarkably quick with their tricks and barkless, the dogs go through some really wonderful stunts. They don't have to be coaxed and Prof. Seymour has a gold-lined meal ticket in his canine family. They begin where all other dog acts stop and are very interesting.

McDonald and Generaux, as a Scotch lad and lassie, have some ludicrous stuff, which they get on excellently. They also sing fairly well.

Leigh and La Grace, musicians and jugglers, have a very pleasing act, nothing startling, but clean cut and entertaining. Some of their juggling feats are of the make you sit on the edge of your seat variety.

When Victor Richmond was allowed to go monologuing, a good candidate for the Snow Shovelers' Union was spoiled.

Students In Campaign

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 16—Every student of Transylvania and State Universities in this city, has signed a pledge and joined in the league for the improvement of the morals of Lexington, which as its name implies seeks to better the morals of this city. The students promise to take an active part in the campaign that is to be waged.

Dennis Spriggs of West Fourth street, purchased a team of fine driving horses Monday for which he paid $350.

Nasty Charge Made By A Wife In Suit

Charging gross neglect and extreme cruelty, Edith Esther Bowers is seeking in an action filed in common pleas court Tuesday, for a legal separation from Clarence Bowers, whom she married in this city in November, 1910.

The wife in her application alleges that Bowers left her the very day of their marriage and has never lived with her since, and that when their child was sick and dying he refused to come, but instead went roller skating the night of its death. She also asks to be restored to her maiden name of Edith Esther Treat. Mark A. Crawford, attorney.

Minors Must Stay Away

So many complaints have come to Judge Beatty of late relative to the many acts of misconduct in and about the auditorium skating rink, prompted that official Tuesday to issue an order prohibiting all boys and girls under seventeen years of age going to the amusement place either day or night in the future. The managers of the rink have also been notified that they must not employ any youths under the age of seventeen years. It is said that considerable drinking has been carried on there by minors. The police were asked to enforce the order.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

James T. Coburn to Walter Coburn, 22 acres in Nile township, $300.

George W. Thompson to Anna Ford, lot on Robinson avenue, $1.00.

James Barker to Bertha May Massie, two lots at McDermott, $250.

J. Frank Rickey to Samuel Henry, Jr., one-half acre in Rush township, $75.

C. J. Moulton to Wells A. Hutchins and Arthur L. Hamm, four lots on Rhodes avenue, New Boston, $1.00.

George Reif to Harry W. Miller, trustee, 100 acres in Porter township, $1.00.

Frank M. Edwards to Carrie K. Rardin, lot on Gallia street, $1.00.

James B. Mackoy to George E. Kricker, trustee, three tracts and seven lots at Wheelersburg and Porter township, $1.00.

A CHANCE FOR A TINNER TO BUY CHEAP.

Tinners and roofers tools and the manufactured stock, sheet tin, iron, copper, zinc, galvanized iron, etc., belonging to the late John O. Wilhelm.

Geo. S. Wilhelm, Administrator.
16-18-20

Rader Case.

The case of Michael Rader against the N. & W., will be tried in Waverly Thursday by Judge Corn. The case resulted from some improvements being made which allowed a hill to slip down on his farm.

RECEIVED SAD NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Jenkins of Robinson avenue, have received the sad news that their brother-in-law, J. B. May of Dayton, had his skull crushed. They will leave at once for Dayton.

Starts New Store.

E. M. Davis has started a dry goods and clothing store, shoes, caps, underwear, etc., at 208 Union street.

Oh, How I Itched!

What long nerve-racking days of constant torture—what sleepless nights of terrible agony—itch—itch—itch, constant itch, until it seemed that I must tear off my very skin—then—

Instant relief—my skin cooled, soothed and healed!

The very first drops of D.D.D. Prescription for Eczema stopped that awful itch instantly; yes, the very moment D.D.D. touched the burning pain the torture ceased. A 25c bottle proves it.

D.D.D. has been known for years as the only absolutely reliable eczema remedy, for it washes away the disease germs and leaves the skin as clear and healthy as that of a child.

All other druggists have D.D.D. Prescription—go to them if you can't come in us—but don't accept some big profit substitute.

But if you come to our store, we are so certain of what D.D.D. will do for you that we offer you a full size bottle on this guarantee—If you do not find that it takes away the itch AT ONCE, it costs you not a cent.

Fisher & Streich Pharmacy.

Hamden Bank Names Officers

Hamden, Jan. 16.—The Citizens' bank of Hamden has elected the following officers for the year: R. S. Wilcox, president; John T. Ogier, sr., vice president; C. C. Roberts, cashier, besides the following other directors: W. S. Martindill, A. J. Martindill, J. A. Sonie, I. N. Bay, W. J. Cox, H. A. Cameron, L. H. Tripp, W. O. Tripp and J. A. Lively. The bank declared a dividend of 3 per cent on its earnings for the past year.

Will Assist Her Parents

Miss Anna Hehl of Cleveland, has come to Portsmouth to assist her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hehl of the Terminals, in conducting their restaurant.

MR. COE IS A VISITOR

T. J. Coe, of the state department of automobiles in Columbus, is in the city spending a few days with relatives in Union township. Mr. Coe left Columbus last Friday evening and at that time there had been 16,500 automobile licenses issued for 1912, which is about 200 per cent higher than the number issued at the same time last year.

There are a number of Scioto county employes in the state house, and when a Scioto visitor reaches the capitol, Mr. Coe says he looks as good as the president of the United States.

HUNTER HAS CONTRACT

Fred Hunter received his Indianapolis contract today and the figures in it are very satisfactory to Mr. Hunter. He will return it in a few days with his signature attached to the important document, and will report for spring training about March 20.

Claim Mule Was Abused

A warrant was sworn out in Squire Byron's court this afternoon against George Davis and his son, Henry, of McDermott, charging them with abusing a mule. The charge was made by Humane Officer Harry Ball.

Tuesday afternoon the men decided to plead guilty tomorrow in Squire C. L. Russell's court in Rush township, it is claimed.

H. Wagner Defends Baseball

Pittsburg, Jan. 16.—Somebody told Hans Wagner today that it required lots of nerve to play football, but that almost any chap could play baseball. This roused Honus to oratory. He is a baseball fan himself, just as enthusiastic about the game as Christy Mathewson, and in fact, like Matty, likes to watch a football game more than he does a baseball game. But he refused to admit that football requires more nerve than baseball.

"There are a hundred little spots in the game," said Wagner, "where the streak will show in a man who hasn't the nerve. Baseball has no room for men who are shy on nerve to stand a strain or take the bumps. Doesn't it take a little nerve to stand up to the plate and have the terrible speed of a fast ball whizzing past your forehead? Doesn't it take nerve to step in when you don't know what's coming? Doesn't it require nerve to slide into a bag, when the ball is coming at you like a bullet as you don't know but that it's going to bound off your head? Doesn't a pitcher need a lot of nerve to stand the gaff in a losing or a close fight? I should say yes."

Manager Dahlen of Brooklyn, has about made up his mind to appoint First Baseman Daubert as team captain. The player will be ordered to report at Hot Springs on March 1.

Owls Will Give A Fastnacht Dance

At a meeting of the local Nest of Owls, Monday night, it was arranged to give a dance at Kendall's Hall Fastnacht, Feb. 20. The hall being turned over to them by the Woodmen for that night. Wright's orchestra will have charge of the music. It has not been decided as to whether it will be a masquerade or not but it will be announced later. The committee in charge of the dance will be Messrs. Grover Burr, Chas. Barr and Clifford Bickel. It was announced that Deputy Organizer M. M. Shea will arrive next Monday from Boston. He will at once start the work of securing new members for the order. The election of officers will take place about the last of February.

BIG RUSH ON N. & W.

Ninety-five trains were handled over the N. & W. yards Monday. There is a big rush of business over the Kenova division and fifty crews are on duty. The boys at the round house are working night and day handling the heavy trains coming in from the West Virginia coal fields.

GIVE OUT DATES FOR COUNTY FAIR

The dates of the Scioto county fair have been announced. It will be held this year on August 13, 14, 15 and 16 at Lucasville. There will only be one fair in this county this year owing to the merger of the two fair associations. The Pike county fair will be held during the week of August 7 and the Adams county fair will be held during the week of September 10.

Every Little Movement Means More Milk

Milwaukee, Jan. 16.—Milking cows to the strains of waltz, two step and band music is the latest on the Fox point dairy farm of J. Gilbert Hickox.

More milk, better milk and easier to get, Dairyman Hickox who drifted into town tonight, told his astonished listeners.

"This experiment has been in operation for the past four months," said the dairyman. "It was a scientific dairy experiment and has proved a great success."

With The Sick

Jobie Phillips, superintendent of the street crew at the water works plant, is suffering from a severe cold. He is unable to speak above a whisper.

Mrs. E. P. Clay, a former Portsmouth telephone operator, and daughter of Charles A. Davis, of Murray street, is reported very ill at Huntington. Mrs. Clay was admitted to a hospital there on Tuesday to undergo a surgical operation.

George Doerr who has been at Hempstead hospital receiving the treatment for a nervous attack was discharged Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. John Alkire, of Union Mills, is quite ill.

Buddy Molster, who has been seriously ill for the past three weeks, has taken a change for the better, and it is now thought that he has safely passed the crisis.

Miss Ethel Martin, of Jackson street, who recently underwent an operation at the Hempstead hospital, was able to return home Monday evening.

Pearl, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cook of Wait's Station, who has been ill with scarlet fever, is much better and the quarantine on the Cook home has been lifted.

Mrs. Douglas Miller of East Twelfth street, who has been quite ill with rheumatism, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Will Locher, of Stewartsville, is critically ill, with little hopes of recovery.

Mrs. George Beckstedt is reported quite ill at her home on West Fifth street.

The condition of little Miss Marie Bradshaw, who has typhoid fever, was reported but slightly improved Monday.

George Grice, one of the hustling bartenders at the Ideal Buffet on Gallia street, is off duty with a severe attack of the grip.

George Doerr, who was recently taken to the Hempstead hospital for treatment, is considerably better, and will be discharged in a few days. He is suffering from a nervous breakdown.

Landlord Dave Tipton, of the Diggs House, who has been laid up the past two weeks, is reported little or no better.

Mrs. Henry Flowers of Gallia street, is seriously ill with congestion of the lungs.

Clarence, a young son of Ed Starling of West Third street, is reported very ill.

Warnie, the 5-year-old son of Wilbur Burringer of West Fourth street, is reported seriously ill with diphtheria. The home was quarantined Tuesday.

WILL COME UP THURSDAY

The case of Judge James against the Norfolk and Western Railway Company will come up Thursday in the courts at Waverly.

The N. & W. changed its crossing through Judge James' farm and he brought suit against the company for damages. For years the crossing was through the center of his farm, but recently it was changed to the southeast corner.

TO CLOSE BIG DEAL

Si Strauss expects to go to Hamilton Wednesday to close a big deal that has been pending there.

A fine new hot water heating plant has just been installed in the home of Judge and Mrs. Charles P. Galdeman, of Waverly.

Mansfield Catcher

Liverpool, O., Jan. 16—Catcher Harry Redmond of the Mansfield team, was visiting here yesterday for a few hours. Redmond is one of the players reserved by his team for this season and will doubtless be head catcher as Tatler has been drafted by Louisville. As an everyday minor league backstop Redmond ranks with the best.

Joe Tinker says that Mathesow is "far from being all in." Joe is evidently afraid that McGraw will stop pitching "Big Six" against the Cubs, as Matty is the one pitcher that aids Tinker's batting average.

EVERYBODY WILL BE AT CHOCOLATE SOLDIER

"Everybody will be there" about indicates the way the Grand Opera House will look Wednesday evening, when the "Chocolate Soldier" comes, according to the indications of the first forenoon of the seat sale. Most of the balcony was sold out during the morning, and the seats down stairs are going rapidly.

People who have seen the company in other Ohio cities say that it is sure to please the local audience. As has been stated the company carries its own orchestra, and a large and capable cast.

"The Chocolate Soldier" has been the chief instrument in resuscitating the dying interest of theatre-goers in the type of light opera made famous by Gilbert and Sullivan. Its success is all the more remarkable because it was first produced at a time when audiences and critics alike had become embittered by a tedious succession of cheap and worthless mediocrities, until it seemed that they were ready to boycott light opera forever.

Will Move Away.

Hens Jackson and M. L. Williams, of Nauvoo and Dry Run respectively, Monday shipped their household goods preparatory to moving to Midland City, Ohio.

Constipation, if Neglected, Causes Serious Illness



Constipation, if neglected, leads to almost innumerable complications affecting the general health. Many cases of typhoid fever, appendicitis and other severe diseases are traceable to prolonged clogging of the bowels. Regard the effects of constipation, C. E. Ayers, 6 Sabin St., Montpelier, Vt., says:

"I was afflicted with constipation and biliousness for years, and at times became so bad I would become unconscious. I have been found in that condition many times. Physicians did not seem to be able to do me any good. I would become weak and for days at a time could do no work. Not long ago I got a box of Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets, and after using them found I had never tried anything that acted in such a mild and effective manner. I believe I have at last found the remedy that suits my case."

Thousands of people are sufferers from habitual constipation and while possibly realizing something of the danger of this condition, yet neglect too long to employ proper curative measures until serious illness often results. The advice of all physicians is, "keep your bowels clean," and it's good advice.

Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets are sold by all druggists, at 25 cents a box containing 25 doses. If not found satisfactory, your money is returned.

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HUNTED FOR THE TIMES

Cold as it was Monday night, Louis Lanter, aged tinner and stove dealer, was determined not to do without his evening Times. A carrier had neglected to throw it on the porch of the Lanter home and the wind did the rest, feeling good.

Lighting a lantern Mr. Lanter started on a hunt for the sheet. He went up Seventh to above Court street but the best he did was to find but one page and yet it was sufficient to send him home.

Vote Buying Cases Were Postponed

Waverly, O., Jan. 16.—(Spl.)—The cases of Edward Tousine, of Latham; James Robinson, of Buchanan; Samuel Pollard, of Peebles, and L. B. Eylar indicted by the recent grand jury for buying votes, went over today to the next term of court.

This announcement came as a surprise, as it was understood the men were to be arraigned and sentenced today.

The grand jury will reconvene Wednesday and a number of witnesses from Perry of Mifflin townships have been subpoenaed to appear before the jury. It is hinted that some additional indictments may be returned against parties for vote buying.

STEINFELDT WOULD MANAGE PITTSBURG OUTLAW CLUB.

Pittsburg, Jan. 16—Heinie Steinfeldt, the veteran player, who was a member of the Chicago National league club for several years and was recently declared a free agent by the national commission, has made a formal application for the position of manager of the United States league club which may be located here. Steinfeldt's playing days are over, but he figures that he would make a good leader.

Ask Your Doctor

"How are your bowels?" This is generally the first question the doctor asks. He knows what a sluggish liver means. He knows that headaches, bilious attacks, indigestion, impure blood, are often promptly relieved by a good liver pill. Ask him if he approves of Ayer's Pills. Then follow his advice.

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BOYS ALMOST DIED FROM SEVERE COLD

It develops that the experience of Roy Kugleman and Carl and Howard Monk, who had their feet frozen while duck hunting, as told in Monday's Times, was even worse than first reported, and that they really had a narrow escape from dying of exposure.

With their feet wrapped up in gunny sacks the boys were laid up in the Kugleman camp cottage at the Four Mile Springs on the Scioto river, north of the city. The camp is located in an isolated spot and the frantic cries of the distressed trio remained unanswered. They became desperate and resorted to writing notes telling of their plight, which they tied about the necks and backs of dogs at the camp, but this plan also failed, the dogs always returning, after being outdoors a short while.

The boys had been at the camp since last Thursday morning. They made daily hunting trips into the surrounding country, but on Saturday remained out in the open longer than usual. Upon their return to the camp they discovered their feet were frozen. Soon their feet began swelling and they found themselves unable to walk or to stand up. It was not until Sunday morning that a Portsmouth young man happened down to the camp and discovered the predicament of its occupants. He at once notified relatives of the boys and Riley Monk, father of the Monk brothers, hurried to the rescue. The boys are still laid up and are reported in bad shape. Howard Monk is a well known ball player and an employe of Contracting Plumber Frank Burt.

Don't fail to hear Chester Riggles in the Alhambra Minstrels, Jan. 25th.

SEWER WAS CLOGGED

The sanitary sewer in the rear of the Masonic Temple, became clogged some time Monday night, resulting in much inconvenience to the tenants in the building. No water could be secured and the heat was at a low ebb. A force of workmen is making the necessary repairs and it is hoped to have everything running smoothly within the next few hours.

Has Ordered Fire Escapes

Deputy Workshop Inspector Murt Kehoe has ordered fire escapes placed on several of the school buildings in Chillicothe. Not one of them are equipped with fire escapes and they will have to be put up right away, according to Mr. Kehoe, who found the conditions in Chillicothe not in accordance with the state law.

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Bowler Proved He Is Genuine "Bug"

That bowling has a strong hold on "Yank" Dodge, member of the Columbias, was shown, Monday evening when he walked eight miles through snow drifts and faced the biting wind in order to be present at the Play House when his team clashed with Hansen's Five, Monday night.

"Yank" lives four miles out on Chillicothe pike and when he reached the Play House has face was as red as an over-ripe lobster. For a time it was feared his ears have been frozen, but when he eventually thawed out it was found that the frost never phazed him and he was able to bowl his usual consistent game. He left for home near the midnight hour and it is supposed he reached there in ship shape. One of the freak games rolled last night was put up by Edward Knittle when he made 83. He had nine misses and one split—a record.

Can't Blame 'Em If They Had Appetites

Do street car motormen and conductors have much of an appetite.

A bill that Manager H. H. Higgins has in his possession answers that question in the affirmative, and thereby hangs a little story.

The other night it was necessary to operate the cars all night long, owing to the heavy snow. By so doing the tracks were kept clear of drifted snow and a regular schedule was thus maintained.

When morning came, Manager Higgins told his crews to go to the Manhattan restaurant and eat their fill, charging up the eatables to the company. Quite a number of the men gathered at the restaurant and had their fill.

Mr. Higgins thought but little of the incident until Maheras Bros. presented their bill and it was found that two of the men had eaten $2.05 worth.

Then he readily understood that operating cars at night did create appetites. Mr. Higgins, however, laughed and declared the fellows had earned it. He refused to give the names of the two but it is said that one of them spells his name Schuyler and the other Parker.

Great Special Films Coming to the Grand

The success which has attended the recent special offerings in the moving picture line at the Grand Opera House, has induced the managers to secure two more splendid three reel films for the near future.

On Friday and Saturday of this week Dickens' great story, "A Tale of Two Cities," will be presented.

On Monday and Tuesday, January 21 and 22, the most remarkable production of the series, "The Crusaders," will be given. An unusually large number of people participate in this production and the greatest care was taken in staging the details.

The films will run continuously, and the admission will be only five cents.

Fined For Giving Liquor To Minor

Ira Wallace was fined $10 and costs by Mayor Tynes, Tuesday, for having furnished liquor to a minor, Elza Shaw.

Wallace had pleaded not guilty to the charge, but young Shaw told a straightforward story of Wallace having placed a bottle at his disposal when he asked him for a drink at the Auditorium skating rink. Two boys, Dewey and Clay Adams, testified to having seen Wallace place the bottle there, and one of them also helped himself to a drink. Wallace's chief defense was that he was intoxicated and not responsible for his act, and as witnesses corroborated this claim, it prompted the court to exercise some leniency. The Shaw boy was turned over to the Juvenile court.

Henry McCaragish, a brick worker, was fined $[illegible] in police court Tuesday on a charge of drunkenness and ordered held pending a settlement of a board bill.

McCaragish boarded at a Clay street home, and on Monday drew his wages at the Harbison-Walker brick plant, and after tanking up, it is said, was making preparations to leave the city.

HAS DEAL ON FOR HOTEL

Louis Kern, proprietor of the Imperial Grocery, has a deal on for the purchase of the Hotel Portsmouth, which will be closed in the near future.

John McNamara, the Irish tenor, Alhambra Minstrels, Jan. 25th.

RED ITCHING SKIN

LIKELY TO BE FIRST STAGE OF ECZEMA—WHAT TO DO

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When Diapepsin works, your stomach rests—gets itself in order, cleans up—and then you feel like eating when you come to the table, and what you eat will do you good.

Absolute relief from all Stomach Misery is waiting for you as soon as you decide to take a little Diapepsin. Tell your druggist that you want Pape's Diapepsin, because you want to become thoroughly cured this time.

Remember, if your stomach feels out of order and uncomfortable now, you can surely get relief in five minutes.

New Boston Church Is Prospering

The stereopticon lecture portraying the Passion Play at Oberammergau was given in New Boston Monday night at the Christian church and proved to be quite a success financially.

The New Boston Christian church is progressing nicely and the members are planning a number of entertainments during the winter. The First church in this city supplies speakers each Sunday and Mr. Cal. Harris, of New Boston, is the Sunday school superintendent.

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In Portsmouth Thursdays and Fridays. Office 93 E. Second street. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

Is Buying Spring Goods

Isador Goodman, proprietor of the United Woolen store, has gone to Cleveland and Toledo to buy spring goods.

Fractured Her Arm

Mrs. William Hedrick, of East Ninth street, fell on the sidewalk in front of her home Tuesday morning and fractured her right arm. She fell Monday in her back yard and was badly shaken up.

Rejoice Over A Fine Girl

Born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Montavon, of West Fifth street, a daughter. Mr. Montavon travels for a St. Louis shoe firm.

Engage New Window Man

P. W. Hunsicker, an experienced window trimmer, has entered the employ of W. H. Burt & Co. Mr. Hunsicker comes here from Charleston, [illegible]. Previous to his employment there he was connected with the [illegible] store in Saginaw, Mich. He comes recommended as strictly first class window trimmer and all-round clothing man.

Pay Checks Delayed

The city employees, who are regularly paid on the first and fifteenth of each month, will not receive their checks this month before the [illegible]. This is due to the fact that the appropriations for the first six months will not be made until Wednesday night's council meeting.

Some Rat Kil'ers

Warren Lauderbeck and Frank Rickey are the champion rat killers of the town. They killed 70 in Rickey's barn on the West Side a few days ago.

BEAN DINNER TO BE HELD AT RARDEN

Next Saturday, January 20, is the date that Rarden post, G. A. R., will hold its annual bean dinner in connection wit hits installation of a new staff of officers. An excellent program has been arranged and the exercises will be held at the Red Men's hall and the indications are that a big crowd will attend. The entertainment is to be an all-day affair, and when the veterans gather 'round the "campfire" there is sure to follow some mighty interesting reminiscences of the civil war.

Then there will be the dinner, consisting of the regular army fare of navy beans, black coffee and hard-tack.

Donaldson Had Bad Tooth

Dr. O. D. Donaldson, a popular young dentist, who has been having such a time with an ulcerated tooth—one of his own this time—is all right again and attending to business, but for a few days the doctor didn't do anything but stay at home to doctor that tooth—and say mean things to the ground who were free with their advice as to how to cure it.

WILL BUILD SPLENDID FLATS

Richard Dawson, an enterprising contractor, has begun the erection of the first of several modern flat buildings on the ridge directly west of his elegant home.

The houses are to be of brick and will each contain six rooms and a bath. Mr. Dawson will extend his own driveway in front of the three houses, which will be located in the form of a circle, or court, and will face on Jackson street. Mr. Dawson has decided to give the group of buildings the name of "The Pillars." They are expected to be completed by the early spring.

Will Take Prisoners

Harlan Ramey, the youthful son-in-law of Mark Williams, of Star Yards, who pleaded guilty to an indictment of cutting to wound the latter, and Arthur Wynn, the youthful horse thief of Peebles, will probably be taken to prison Wednesday by Sheriff Eckhart, to begin their sentences.

Wynn goes to the penitentiary for two years and Ramey to the Mansfield reformatory for an indefinite stay.

The entertaining four, the big act, Alhambra Minstrels, Grand, Jan. 25th.

Home From Farm.

A. N. Covert has returned from his farm at Wamsleyville where he has been for several days. Mr. Covert returned last week from Vivian, W. Va., where he was employed by the N. & W. railway as carpenter.

Going On Hunting Trip.

John Welch, David Watson, Thomas Bristlo and William Chaney of Otway, will leave today for a ten days hunt on the Lampblack hills in the southwestern part of Scioto county.

Warnie, the little son of Wilbur Barringer of West Fourth St., who has been quite ill for the past week, took a relapse last night and several physicians were called in.

Back At Ironton.

Larkin E. Covert who is employed as foreman in the Excelsior Shoe company, at Ironton, returned there this morning after a short business trip in this city.

Seventy Years Young and---

Gee! I felt good yesterday. Mrs. Frances Gaskings, of 635 Saratoga Street, Newport, Kentucky, sent in a recipe in the $500 Contest that is making everybody talk about me. I can't give you the recipe until the Contest is over, but that's another story.

She says: "I am seventy years old and I know what is good, and Star Brand Pretzel Meal is the finest thing I ever saw."

I'll wager my reputation that in all those seventy years she has tasted some mighty good things, but it is not all of us that RETAIN THE GOOD TASTE AT SEVENTY. Do you remember the first watermelon you ever "hooked"? It tasted better than one that cost a dollar a slice forty years later.

I like to live because I bring happiness to others. I not only tickle the palate, but I am all food value—blood builder. It's great to have people smile at the table—promotes digestion.

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Let's keep our taste young. You won't get tired of me.

I feel fine when somebody seventy years young says nice things about me.

Let's all smile at breakfast tomorrow.

Yours for smiles at the table,

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NEW OFFICERS FOR N. BOSTON

Several new town officials were named at a meeting of the New Boston council held on Monday night.

Ezra Jenkins was appointed deputy town marshal by Mayor Stewart at a salary of $60 per month and his bond fixed at $1000. Dr. W. G. Cheney was named health officer and town physician for a period of one year at a salary of $12.50 per month and John Bell was appointed overseer of streets at $60 per month.

The council passed appropriating ordinances for the first half of the fiscal year. For the general fund there was provided $694, safety fund $820, public service $1450, health $275 and sinking fund $1687.50.

Mayor Stewart in addressing council urged the floating of $50,000 in bonds to pave Ohio avenue and several other streets and while the councilmen seemed favorable to the plan no action was taken.

M. A. Castoe again appeared before council relative to his plan for a new water supply system and the light and water committee of council met with him but nothing developed at the hearing, the solons seemingly not feeling in any hurry to undertake a project of this character and preferring to await the building of Portsmouth's new water supply plant.

HERB HAS WEATHER PROPHECY

Herb Corriell, the renowned weather man, says the present delightful bracing weather will continue all through this month. He says it will be a little colder tomorrow, but warmer Thursday—and we may have a shower that day. Herb says another cold wave will strike here Saturday and continue over the first of the week, but Wednesday and Thursday of next week will be fair, followed by 'nother blizzard. He says this invigorating, health-giving weather is playing the deuce with the doctors and druggists, but in other ways is the very best thing that could happen to us. Herb takes exceptions to the "coldest and worst winter ever" talk. He says we did not have a winter day up to Jan. 1st, and what could be nicer than have our winter all in a bunch—and then be ready for spring.

BIGGEST TREE IN OHIO

Not having any real live news, when accosted by a Times reporter, Tuesday morning, and not desiring to see said reporter face the biting wind without something to show for his efforts, S. N. Dodge declared that he had just learned that the largest tree that was ever found in the state of Ohio, was a big sycamore that spread its branches all over the George Davis farm in Valley Tp. That tree was 63 feet in circumference, hollow as a tin cup and could shelter 13 men and horses at one time. A bull fight was pulled off in it in 1850 and when the owner of the farm, Thos. Dugan found one of the bovines dead, he became so angered that he held a wood chopping day and the tree came down. When it was split up it was found there were more than 1000 cords of wood—in fact George Davis declares he is still burning some of it in his Sunday grate.

With Old Friends.

Omer J. Crawford, who travels for an Eastern clothing firm, is in the city to spend a few days with old friends. He makes his headquarters in Cincinnati.

Mr. Cline Will Speak.

Henry Cline will speak on the Men and Religion Forward movement at the German Methodist church, Wednesday evening.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT AT REDUCED PRICES

Mackerel, Cod Fish, Salmon, Sardines, Baked Beans, Corn, Tomatoes, Peas, String Beans, Fancy Peaches, Pineapples, Preserves, Apple Butter, Jelly, Cheese, Balogna, Boiled Ham, Spare Ribs, Back Bones, Tenderloin, Country Sausage, Dressed Chickens, Oysters, Celery, Cranberries and fresh Butter and Eggs.

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